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H. W. Sloan is putting a new slate roof on his residence on Market street.

Gilmore's Band and the P. O. S. of A. went to Catawissa on the 4th.

The June number of *Trinity Tidings* appears this week.

The Reformed Sunday School will hold a picnic at Hess' Grove, Rupert, on the 16th.

The Evangelical festival announced for the 11th at Espy, has been postponed until the 18th.

A monument has been erected to the memory of the late S. V. Boone by his family, in Rosemont Cemetery.

The new tower on St. Paul's P. E. church will be built of Wyoming blue stone, as the required kind of limestone could not be obtained at Lime Ridge in time.

Michael Barrett died at his home in Centralia on the 2nd inst. The funeral took place from St. Ignatius church.

The stone have arrived and work has begun on the new tower on the Episcopal church. John Evans of Danville has the contract.

The report of Superintendent Johnston which appears in this issue, was received too late for insertion last week.

A table factory which will employ about 40 men is expected to be erected on land donated by the Land Improvement Company.

Mrs. Hester Kistler of Catawissa, died last week Thursday, aged 68 years. The funeral took place on Sunday, and was largely attended.

Mr. C. D. Spiegelmeyer would kindly thank friends and relatives for active part taken during his wife's illness, likewise through his late bereavement.

The late M. G. Hughes made no will. Letters of administration have been granted to Douglas Hughes, J. H. Vastine, R. Boone and E. F. Smith. It is said the estate will exceed $200,000.

John S. Williams has the contract for digging the cellar for the new Parish House of the Episcopal congregation. Work was begun on Monday. Thomas Gorrey has the contract for the building.

There will be a festival held in the grove near Iram Derr's on Saturday afternoon and evening July 18th. If the weather should be unfavorable that day, it will be held Saturday the 25th. Proceeds for the benefit of Jackson Baptist Sunday School.

C. W. Funston and wife made a very successful catch of bass Wednesday evening at the red rocks in Fishing-creek. They were out only about two hours and caught seven, one measuring twelve and another fourteen inches. Mrs. Funston proved to be the most expert as she caught six of the seven fish.

A Commandery of the Knights of Malta was instituted here last week Thursday night, with about 75 members. They meet in G. A. R. Hall. It is called Lavalette Commandery, No. 91. Supreme Commander Wilt, of Bethlehem, and Bishop J. C. Shindel of Mt. Carmel, assisted by a staff of 13, instituted the lodge.

The Bloomsburg and Sullivan R. R. Company will sell special excursion tickets from Bloomsburg to Jamison City and return to-day, (Friday) for $1.25, which includes dinner at Proctor Inn. The train leaves at 8.35 a. m. and returns at 5 p. m., reaching here at 6.20, thus giving all day in the mountains.

The Hughesville *Mail* entered upon its eighteenth volume last week. Since it went into the hands of its presnt owner, H. H. Rutter, it has constantly improved until now it ranks among the best of our rural exchanges. Mr. Rutter is an energetic editor and a progressive man, and his excellent paper is deserving of the hearty support of everybody in Hughesville and surrounding country.

General C. M. Blaker spent the Fourth in Bloomsburg. He has discarded his grey suit of military-cut clothing, and now wears a full suit of black, with a frock coat, and a high silk hat, which has changed his appearance from a confederate brigadier to the likeness of a Doctor of Divinity. The General's friends are growing uneasy about him, as he has not yet announced himself as a candidate for any office this year.

PROGRESS IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

When the School Board of the Bloomsburg School District held their first meeting after the organization of 1890, the president of the Board appointed J. R. Townsend, Jos. Garrison and J. K. Bittenbender, members of the Text Book Committee. This Committee soon afterward began to inquire into the matter of arranging a course of study that would have for its aim, thoroughness, accuracy, and rapidity. Introducing those subjects that will prepare the pupils for Commercial life in as short a time as possible to insure thoroughness. Catalogues were secured, from other schools, and comparisons made, as well as close observation of the work now done in our schools.

There are three departments in the Course: The Business Course, Normal Course and Scientific Course. Beginning with the primary grade at the age of six years, the pupil may graduate in the Business Course at the age sixteen years; in the Normal Course at the age of seventeen: and in the Scientific Course at the age of eighteen years. The studies are so arranged in the Normal Course that pupils can enter the Senior class of our Normal School and complete their education for the profession of teaching in one year. Short-hand and type-writing together with practical work in book-keeping will be special features of the Business Course.

At the last meeting of the Board the subject of Manual Training was considered and a Committee appointed to ascertain the feasibility of its introduction. Manual Training is now receiving the attention of the learned minds of the country. It is required in our Normal Schools and has been introduced in the high schools of Philadelphia, Pittsburg, and the counties of Allegheny, Dauphin, Chester, and Luzerne, as well as in 27 other states and will no doubt soon be found in the first grades of all our public schools.

The new course of study will soon be published in pamphlet form, and a copy placed in the hands of the head of each family, that they may acquaint themselves with the work to be done by their children, and encourage them in the work that they may reap greater profit from the time spent in the public schools.

THE FOURTH IN BLOOM.

Bloomsburg spent a quiet Fourth; nearly everybody went to Catawissa or Danville, or elsewhere, and the town seemed deserted. Many families spent the day in the woods, and fishing parties were numerous. Owing to the ordinance prohibiting fire-works of any kind, there was a Sunday stillness pervading the community. An occasional snap was heard, as the small boy touched off a fire-cracker and then ran around the corner to avoid the police. In the evening a few rockets and bombs were sent off in private grounds.

Dealers in fire-works were left with a considerable stock on hand, and one of them was heard to remark that "the action of the Council sends everybody out of town to spend their money away from home to where they can have a good time, and then many of them will want credit for the necessaries of life for the next three months, and we'll have to trust them."

And there is a good deal of truth in that observation. But the day passed without any accidents or fires, and after all it may be that the ordinance was a wise provision.

MRS. C. D. SPIGELMEYER.

Minnie A. wife of C. D. Spigelmeyer, and only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Eyerly, died at the residence of Mrs. Emery on East street, on Friday evening, July 3rd, at 7 o'clock. She had been sick about six months, at her home in Williamsport, and came here on June 4th hoping to recover her health, but she gradually grew worse, until the end came. She was born April 15th, 1862, and was married in 1883. Her husband and one son survive her. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Lutheran church, of which she was a member. The services were conducted by Revs. P. A. Heilman and F. P. Manhart.

Mrs. Spegilmeyer was a dutiful daughter and a loving wife and mother and the afflicted family have the warm sympathies of the community in their bereavement.

John S. Kline of Benton township has been in ill health for some time, and a fatal termination was not unexpected. His death occurred last week, and he was buried on Monday. He was a well known citizen, and much respected, and was prominent in all township matters. He served more than three years in the army, coming out as first lieutenant of his company.

On Mountain Top.

EDITORS' DAY AT EAGLE'S MERE.

At the invitation of the proprietors of the hotels at Eagle's Mere, and also of Philadelphia and Reading, and the Williamsport & North Branch Railroad Companies, extending courtesies to the newspaper men of this and adjoining counties on June 30th, the editors of this paper spent a delightful day at that famous resort. Bloomsburg was represented by J. C. Rutter Jr., of the *Sentinel*, accompanied by his sister Miss Maggie Rutter. The COLUMBIAN was represented by J. K. Bittenbender and wife, and Geo. E. Elwell and Miss E. W. McKelvy. The party left here at 8 a. m. on the Reading road, and after changing cars at Rupert, West Milton and Halls, arrived at Muncy Valley station at about 11.15.

The day was bright and pleasant, and the ride in the cars was picturesque. At Halls the party which had been augmented by the editors of many towns along the line, was met by F. I. Bausher, traveling passenger agent of the Reading, and W. D. Townsend, auditor of the W. & N. B. road, who had the excursion in charge. At Muncy Valley coaches were in waiting, and the ride of six miles up the mountain began. The road, though dusty, was otherwise in good condition.

The writer was fortunate enough to secure seats in an easy two seated carriage with a good team, and as it was the mail wagon, we were given the right of way, and reached the mountain top at 1.20, which was 35 minutes earlier than the next vehicle arrived.

The party were distributed among the following hotels: Hotel Eagle's Mere. Hotel Raymond, Lake Side and Allegheny House. After dinner everybody was free to go and do as they pleased. The freedom of the lake was given to all, and the afternoon was spent in riding on the steamboat, rowing, bathing, rambling around the lake and the like.

Eagle's Mere is on the top of the Allegheny mountains, 2,200 feet above sea level. We are informed that it "is not alone upon the magnificence of its scenery that the growing fame of this grand region rests. The testimony of scores of eminent scientists and physicians attests that these lofty forest-covered hills form one of the greatest natural sanitariums in the world.

Thin, cool, pure atmosphere of these high altitudes, impregnated with the healing and invigorating essence of the hemlocks and the pines, has been found to be infallibly effective in the amelioration and cure of hay fever, asthma, and similar catarrhal ailments, as well as those of a malarial nature, while the restful influences of the air and the surroundings produce instantly beneficial results in cases of insomnia and nervous prostration."

But this resort is sought not only by invalids. There are about fifty cottages owned by individuals, which are tenanted by the owners each summer.

Among the most picturesque of these is the cottage of Henry C. Clay of Philadelphia, a large and beautiful villa surrounded by well kept lawns, and that of C. Larue Munson Esq., of Williamsport, which is built of stone just as they were found on the mountains.

The hotels are large and handsomely furnished, and provided with sewerage, water, and all modern conveniences. The rooms are spacious and the beds very comfortable.

Messrs. Ingham & Laird of the Hotel Eaglesmere are affable gentlemen who know how to keep a hotel, and the table is set with everything the season affords. Mr. Kirk and his wife, of the Lake Side also devote much time to the comfort and pleasure of their guests, and one cannot help but feel at home. W. L. Laird of the Hotel Raymond is an energetic young man, who leaves nothing undone for the success of his house and the entertainment of his guests. His hotel is roomy, and beautifully located.

The Allegheny house, conducted by Peale and Dickson, is a large house, and enjoys a fair show of the patronage.

There is not a licensed house in the place, all deeds for land sold by the land company containing a restriction providing that the purchaser will never ask for a liquor license.

There are three churches, the Presbyterian, Baptist and Episcopal, the latter being built of uncut stone. Services are held in all of these during the summer season.

The participants in the excursion, besides those already named were: W. H. Smith, J. A. Logan, Milton; G. L. I. Painter, Muncy; V. A. Lotier, Thos. Chalfant, Danville; O. S. Brown, J. J. Galbraith, D. Lamade, Geo. S. Lenhart, George Groff, J. P. Deyer, Williamsport: E. L. Brice, J. E. Eichholtz, T. J. Silvius, Sunbury; F. O. Whitman, Lewisburg. All were accompanied by ladies. Most of the party expected to get home the same night, but on arrival at Eaglesmere it was found they would have just forty minutes before the return coach started, and so it was decided to remain all night. The Sunbury editors however, concluded to catch the cannon-ball train and reach home at midnight so they left the lake at 8 o'clock and started down the mountain. We found them at Muncy Valley station the next morning; they missed the train by five minutes. Mr. Brice was especially anxious to get home, and when he found they were left, he was restrained only by the presence of the ladies, from expressing all he felt. Had he spoken, his remarks would have been something like this: ——!! —— * * *!!! We beg to be excused from translating the above.

It rained in the early morning so that the ride down the mountain was cool, and free from dust. Our party arrived home on Wednesday noon well pleased with their trip.

The only oversight in the management of the excursion was the failure to arrange for a meeting of the editorsd so that they might become acquainted with those they did'nt know, and to give them an opportunity to formally express their thanks to all who were instrumental in affording them so much pleasure. The season for pleasure seekers has now fairly opened, and the hotels will soon be filled. People who contemplate visiting this famous spot should secure rooms in advance.

EAST BENTON.

"A man's life consisteth not in the abundance of things which he possesseth."—Luke 12 : 15.

A most enjoyable event was the silver wedding of Mr. & Mrs. W. Kase, of Fairmount Springs, on Saturday, July 4, 1891. The union of this quarter of a century's wedded life was conceived and matured during trying and peculiar circumstances, but not solemnized until July 4, 1866, hence it is of a somewhat romantic nature. Mr. William Kase was in the army, facing and braving all the dangers of its horrors, fighting for his future home and fireside, while a most tender and earnest correspondence was kept up between the soldier and his affianced, ever full of apprehension and solicitude. The maid was then a pupil of the writer and often expressed to him her fears of his safe return, and her hopes and aspirations of her future life. We congratulate and rejoice that they (the wedded pair) have fully realized all the hopes and aspirations that they then entertained. Their garden, however, was devoid of flowers. By this we mean no children were born to their union. A few weeks ago the father and mother of Mrs. Kase, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Albertson celebrated their golden wedding. To the invitations sent out for the silver wedding the following persons responded: Herman Albertson, J. C. Rantz and wife, Jersey Shore, Schuyler Cramer and wife, John Kline and wife, William Keeler and wife, Cincinnati, O., Alvin Harvey and wife, F. I. Shultz and wife, Albert Hartman and wife, H. W. Smith and wife. A. H. Follmer and wife, Miner Sutliff and wife, J. C. Wenner and wife, A. B. Albertson and wife, E. J. Albertson and wife, J. W. Keeler, Cincinatti, O., S. P. Krickbaum and wife, I. K. Laubach and wife, Mrs. Andrew Bellas, J. W. Winley, L. B. Stiles and wife, Mrs. R. L. F. Colley, Mr. David Albertson and wife, Mrs. M. L. Wilkerson, Miss Sue Ruckle, including smaller people and children, in all about 60 persons. Mr. and Mrs. Kase were the recipients of many handsome presents and a nice sum of money. The guests partook of a sumptuous dinner. That the honored couple may live to enjoy their golden wedding was the wish of all present.

The evening of the 4th of July was celebrated at Bruce Cary's, Cambra, with a "grand hop."

Herman Albertson, son of Alonzo Albertson, has entered the ministry of the M. E. Church and will preach at Hamiline next Sunday. He is an exemplary young man.

The grain harvest is now here in its golden array, full, and bountiful. Oats and corn promise a better return than for some years past; the hay however, will be a short crop.

Vice and crime stalk along in the busy marts of life and ply their vocation here and there until the air resounds with scandal.

This has been a great season for bees, many colonies having swarmed twice.

Judge Krickbaum took a trip to Williamsport on the 4th.

Work is suspended on the court house for lack ot material.

COURT PROCEEDINGS

An adjourned session of court was held on July 3, all the judges on the bench.

Elijah Hess vs. Theo. M. Houser, ejectment, on motion, judgment for land described in the writ.

G. B. Reimensnyder, administrator, vs. S. A. Petriken, opinion filed.

W. A. M. Grier vs. James McAlarny Executor, et al, opinion filed, new trial refused.

P. & R. R. R. Co., vs N. & W. B. R'y Co., petition for appointment of viewers to assess damages.

Estate of Reuben O Davis, petition for specific performance of contract with G. W. Farver, decree made.

Petition of county commissioners for appointment of inspectors of a bridge in Locust near H. M. Yocum's saw mill, Adam Rarig, Simon Carl and Peter Swank appointed.

Also inspectors of a bridge in Sugarloaf near Bacon Hess'· Jesse Hartman, H. H. Hulme and Brad Long appointed.

Estate of Simon Fetterman, petition for citation to file account.

Estate of Clarke W. Longfield a minor, petition for citation to guardian to file account.

Francis Lafountain sworn as a citizen of the U. S.

Judge Metzger of Williamsport went on the bench at 11.45.

Exceptions to report of auditor in estate of Ann Young, argued and submitted.

LIGHT STREET.

Henry Miller of Watsontown spent a few days with A. B. White.

The home of Rev. Whitney gladdened a few days ago by the arrival of twin girls.

The excursion to Central was pretty well attended on Saturday last.

We noticed quite a number of citizens from Bloomsburg pass through town on Saturday last, who attended the picnic near the Paper Mill dam.

Mr. Moat and Miss Welsh visited at G. P. Reighards the past week.

Mrs. Gibbs of Ohio is visiting friends in this community, this being her birth place, formally Anna Eyer.

Master William and Miss Mattie Bachman are visiting their sister, Mrs. O. B. Melick.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Young attended a picnic at Mill- Grove on Saturday last.

WALLER.

This year's Fourth has passed and the good with it, while some of its evil still mark the "eyes."

The rattle of mowers and reapers are the joyful sounds in the farmer's ears.

Mr. G. W. Yorks met with a misfortune while celebrating the Nation's birth day, his horse became frightened at the small boys' fire crackers and ran against the trees, tearing buggy and harness, but luckily no one was hurt.

W. B. Fritz and H. E. Yorks were camping in the mountains last week and passed their time in catching the speckled trout.

Mr. Abner Everhart is home for a few weeks, visiting parents and friends.

Quite a number of young people took dinner at Samuel Roberts' on Sunday. It was to remind his son of his birthday.

KNIGHTS OF THE GOLDEN EAGLE.

The following are the officers of Theta Castle, No. 276 of Bloomsburg Pa., for the ensuing six months' term;

Past Chief, W. J. Shutt; Noble Chief, Josiah L. King; Vice Chief, Jerome P. Woodring; High Preist, Daniel Laycock; Venerable Hermit, J. S. Blue; Master of Records, Guy Jacoby; Clerk of Exchequer. C. B. Lutz; Keeper of Exchequer, C. W. Funston; Sir Herald, Chas. T. Hendershott; Worthy Bard, W. D. Cosgrove; Worthy Chamberlin, Joseph R. Bidelman; Ensign, Frank Moyer; Esquire, Geo. Sterling; First Guardsman, C. A. Polloek; Second Guardsman, Geo. Stineman; Trustees, J. S. Blue, W. D. Cosgrove and J. L. Harman, Representative to the Grand Castle, W. H. Brooke.

A lazy Iowa editor wails forth the following: "The lark came to meet the sun and carol forth his lay; the farmer's son took down his gun and at him blazed away. The busy bee rose at five and hummed the meadows o'er; the farmer's wife went to his hive and robbed him of his store. The little ant rose early too, his labor to begin; the greedy sparrow outward flew and took his antship in. O birds, and ants, and bees be wise, in proverbs take no stock; like me refuse from bed to rise till half past eight o'clock.

PERSONAL.

Joseph Lowenberg was one of the visitors to town last week.

Prof. Cope and family are spending the summer vacation at West Chester.

Prof. J. P. Welsh is attending the State Teachers' Association this week.

Prof. Noetling has gone to his home at Selinsgrove for the summer.

Rush Zarr and Frank Miller are at home from college for the summer.

G. W. Bertsch spent the 4th in Mauch Chunk with his parents.

Miss Annie Sellers of Altoona is the guest of Miss Edith Reber.

William Leverett Esq. came down from Scranton to celebrate the Fourth.

J. Allen Staver of the Jersey Shore *Herald*, is visiting his cousin James Staver.

Mr. Newton Wigfall of Philadelphia is spending a few weeks with his brother, Mr. Samuel Wigfall.

Judge and Mrs. Elwell and Mrs. Funk have been in Elmira, N. Y. the past two weeks.

Louis Townsend was at home last week to see his sister graduate at the Normal.

Judge Ikeler held arguement court at Williamsport, for Judge Metzger, last week Thursday.

R. C. Neal came up from Harrisburg on the 3rd, and spent the Fourth here with his family.

Mrs. John Moran, Edward Hughes and Michael Ryon of Centralia, were in town on Tuesday.

Prof. O. H. Bakeless is attending the summer school of Philosophy at Northfield, Mass.

Judge Murphy was in town on Wednesday, accompanied by Dr. Thomas Curry of Philadelphia.

L. N. Moyer and C. C. Peacock spent part of last week at Atlantic City and Gettysburg.

Mr. Robert Harrar of Newark spent the Fourth in town with his brother. Ed. Harrar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wells spent the Fourth in Mauch Chunk with Dr. Kirby and wife.

Earnest Rice, son of J. P. Rice, of Millville, is spending a few weeks at Harrisburg.

The scar on W. H. Brower's nose was caused by his getting off from a bicycle rather hastily on the 4th.

Mrs. J. G. Freeze started on Tuesday for Des Moines, Iowa, where she will spend several weeks with relatives.

Frank Patterson has completed his college course, and has accepted a position in New Jersey as civil engineer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sharpless arrived from the west on Tuesday, and will remain in Bloomsburg most of the summer.

Julius Lindegren, the piano tuner and repairer, is in town, and will remain about two weeks. Orders left at Peacock's Hardware Store, will be promptly attended to.

Mr. Ralph Snyder was in town on Monday. It is a number of years since he called on his Bloomsburg friends. He is located at Williamsport.

Rev. Thomas F. Logue, of Harrisburg, has been appointed assistant to Rev. Father Kennedy, of St. Ignatius church, Centralia, vice Rev. Simpson who has gone to Mt. Carmel.

Dr. J. H. Vastine has been elected President of the Catawissa Bridge Company, and also of the Catawissa National Bank to fill the vacancies caused by the death of M. G. Hughes.

Ex-Sheriff Aaron Smith is tendered the thanks of this office for a lot of delicious cherries left here on Tuesday. They were of the black variety, and very large and sweet.

On Monday last the Board of Directors of the First National Bank of Bloomsburg elected Hon. C. R. Buckalew a director to fill the vacancy caused by the death of M. G. Hughes.

Mr. J. S. Hill of Wilkes-Barre spent Monday in town attending to business as assignee of the firm of Steltz & Co. formerly of Jamison City. Mr. Hill was manager of Manor Rest Inn for more than a year, and made many friends in this county.

Mrs. H. G. Ort died at Jerseytown on Wednesday of last week, aged about 51 years. The remains were brought to Bloomsburg on Friday and buried in Rosemont. Mrs. Ort resided here many years, and was a member of the Reformed church. Her husband and one daughter Mrs. Alonzo Ent survive, her.

THE CURATE'S SWEETHEART

"A young woman with a pleasing face, who rarely smiles, and seems to shun observation, and an old lady, who comes out very little and always veiled."

That was the description given to the Rev. Charles Grosvenor of the new occupants of the little cottage which lay so close to his vicarage that he could see the smoke from the chimney over the tops of the trees that skirted his lawn.

The Rev. Charles Grosvenor had been away from the scene of his labors at Chumleigh for a month. Chumleigh was countryfied enough and healthy enough, but he had been ordered sea air and had taken the trip, leaving his by no means extensive flock to the care of a temporary shepherd.

The Rev. Charles Grosvenor was a young man, and Crumleigh was his first living. He was quite new enough to his work to take interest in it, and he was on intimate terms with all his parishioners.

Directly he heard of the new arrivals in the village, he, of course, determined to call upon them, but he thought he would just inquire what sort of people they were.

The result was the above description—a description vague enough in all conscience, and yet sufficient at once to invest the heroines of it with a slight halo of romance.

The Rev. Charles Grosvenor had not so long left college life to bury himself among the pumpkins but that he could duly appreciate the piquancy which a little mystery lends to our ordinary humdrum existence.

Knowing that the young lady shunned observation his curiosity was at once aroused, and he looked forward to his first meeting with her with more than ordinary eagerness. As to the old lady—well, he was a young bachelor, remember, and however deeply old ladies may veil themselves, or however mysterious they may be, they can not expect to command much attention when there is a younger lady in the case.

The curate called at Laburnam cottage the day after the return from the seaside. He found the Smiths very quiet and unassuming people. Mrs. Smith said very little and sighed a good deal, and Miss Smith, though a fluent and agreeable speaker, as he could judge from the little she said, spoke only in answer to his questions, and kept her eyes fixed on the ground, the whole time he was talking to her.

"Something queer about these people," said the Rev. Charles Grosvenor to himself. "I wonder what it is. I must draw them out."

His notion of drawing them out was to engage their services in his parish work. The old lady sighed and consented. The young one colored, cast down her eyes, and said that she was not fit for such work. Not religious enough, she meant.

The Rev. Charles Grosvenor was much distressed to hear that Miss Smith was not religious. Here, at least, was a task congenial to his soul. He was quite willing to convert farm laborers and to reform market gardeners, but when a demure looking young lady, with an agreeable manner, offered herself, he could not refrain from looking forward to the prospect of higher and nobler work.

He talked seriously to Miss Smith, and Miss Smith listened seriously—so seriously that the curate was taken by surprise. He was almost alarmed at the terrible earnestness with which the girl spoke of religious questions, asked for spiritual consolation, and argued with him on the dread subject of the sinner's fate hereafter. The earnestness and the vehemence of his parishioner, however, only increased his interest in her.

Now, when Miss Smith called herself a miserable sinner, the Rev. Charles Grosvenor thoroughly believed that she was one. He accepted her confession in the same sense that he would have accepted it from the patron of his living, or his mother, or any of his lady parishioners. We are all miserable sinners, and being enjoined to say so, a clergyman can not for the sake of being complimentary, refuse to believe a young lady when she affirms that she is no exception to the rule.

But as to attaching any really serious import to the confession of Miss Smith, that never occurred to him for a moment. He soothed her, offered her such consolation as he could, thought she was a most pious and interesting girl, and fell madly in love with her.

From the moment he made the discovery his conduct to her altered. He tempted her to talk less about herself and to be cheerful. He didn't want the girl he was in love with to be too persistently a miserable sinner. She was so charming and so nice that he felt she might very well keep that in the background a little.

A white tie and a clerical coat do not alter a man's nature; and when a man falls madly in love with a woman, he likes to imagine her as near perfection as possible.

Miss Smith's manner changed also. She discovered the parson's secret before it was many days old. She was still pleased to see him, but she avoided all reference to her sins.

Once he questioned her about her past life. For a moment she went deadly pale, then the color rushed to her cheeks, and she stammered out a remark which turned the conversation.

Miss Smith saw that the Rev. Charles Grosvenor was at her mercy. It was only a question of time when he would make the avowal. Should she encourage him, or discourage his secret, and stop it while there was yet time?

In her difficulty she laid the case before her mother and asked her advice.

The old lady was frightened out of her wits. She dare not think about such a thing, she said. Of course it would be the making of her if she could marry a clergyman; but how could it be done? He would have to know the history of her life first, and then—

"And then he wouldn't have me," answered the girl passionately.

"Of course not, my dear," said Mrs. Smith, "at least I should think not."

"Shall I tell him? Shall I confess all the next time he comes?"

Again Mrs. Smith is frightened. She does not like to think what the result of that confession will be. They've managed at last to find a spot where they can live quietly and unknown. Why must all the miserable story be brought up again?

Miss Smith, failing to get any practical advice from her mother, thinks the matter over quietly by herself, and by the time she sees her admirer again she has settled on her course of action.

She meets him in the fields that lead to the church.

It is a bright summer morning, and they pause by a stile to look at the yellow and red of the far stretching fields.

The Rev. Charles Grosvenor commences by talking about nature, and gradually comes down to talking about himself—his aims and prospects in life. Little by little the conversation slides into the groove he wished, and in five minutes his hand and fortune have been laid at the feet of the lady listener.

He hadn't meant to be so abrupt: he had meant to keep his secret a little longer, but it had slipped out accidentally among the poetry and domestic details and he was very glad it was over.

Miss Smith was of course very much surprised. The curate had caught her hand as his accents grew more impassioned. She allowed him to retain it till he had finished, then drew it gently away.

"Mr. Grosvenor," she said quietly, "I will answer you fairly and frankly. Before you made me such an offer you should have ascertained to whom you were speaking."

"What do you mean?"

"You do not know who or what I am."

"I know that you are an angel."

Miss Smith's lips curled slightly, but her voice trembled as she answered:

"As you have gone so far it is only right you should know something about me. My name is not Smith. That is a false name."

"A false name!" the parson gasped. "Dear me! why do you want a false name?"

"Listen and I will tell you. Did you ever hear of a terrible crime for which two men and two women were condemned? It was called a 'mystery' at first. But when the facts came to light it was called a 'murder.' One man starved his wife to death, and the other people helped him. He wanted to marry a younger woman, and this younger woman was one of the accused."

"I remember the case," stammered the curate. "It was very awful; but I don't see what you've got to do with it."

The perspiration stood on his brow and he began to mop it with his pocket handkerchief. He half expected to hear that Miss Smith was a relative of one of the criminals.

"You remember," continued the girl, speaking rapidly now and without emotion, "that all four were condemned to death, but the young girl was at the last moment granted a free pardon and allowed to return to the world and to her friends."

"Yes," gasped the clergyman, "I remember; but what has all this business to do with you?"

"This," answered the lady whom he had just made an offer of marriage: "I was the girl that allowed the murdered woman's husband to love me; I was the girl for whose sake the murder was committed; I was the girl who was condemned to be hanged by the neck and then granted a free pardon! I am——"

She stopped. The Rev. Charles Grosvenor had reeled back against the stile and closed his eyes.

"Excuse me," he muttered, "a little faintness, that's all."

He pulled himself together, stammered a little, coughed, and for a minute seemed at a loss what to say.

She broke the silence first.

"I have told you now the secret of my life. I am here with my mother, and here wish to remain—unknown, forgotten by the world. We are bound to live under an assumed name. We should be hooted and stoned if it were known who we really are. Will you keep my secret?"

"Certainly," stammered the curate; "and I trust——"

"That I shall keep yours. Rest assured of that, Mr. Grosvenor. I will forget that anything has happened this morning beyond the ordinary interchanges of courtesies between clergyman and parishioner."

She smiled and bowed and passed on.

He walked back slowly to the church, muttering to himself. "What an escape—who'd have thought it?"

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The Rev. Charles Grosvenor is still the curate of Chumleigh, and Miss Smith and her mother still live at Laburnam cottage. The parishioners, however, notice that the visits of the clergyman to the cottage are few and far between, and that when he calls he is generally accompanied by one or other of his lady visitors.

And old Dame Turvey, who knows everything about everybody and is a great authority on village matters, assures every one that she can't make it out at all, for she was quite sure the parson was sweet in that quarter and she quite expected that Miss Smith would have presided at the parsonage tea table.

"Something must have happened very unexpected to break it all off," concludes the worthy dame, "for it was all altered like in a minute."

Dame Turvey is right for once. What happened was very unexpected, and it made such an impression on the Rev. Charles Grosvenor that he will remember it to the end of his life.

Tommy—Can we play at keeping a store in here, mamma? Mamma (who has a headache)—Certainly, but you must be very, very quiet. Tommy—Well, we'll pretend we don't advertise.—[Art in Advertising.

"I say, Bill, wot makes you go 'round with that there barrel over yer 'ed?" "I'se got ter do it. The gals foller me, so I'se obliged ter disguise myself."—[Judge.

SCIENTIFIC AND USEFUL.

The latest discovery for dyspeptics is that pineapple juice is as active a digester as pepsin.

Much as has been accomplished in the way of electrical inventions, the chances are that only the outer edge of the measureless field has as yet been touched.—[Inventive Age.

Sir Morell Mackenzie objects to large hospitals on the ground that the added virulence of germs from the bodies of many patients is as dangerous as that of those emanating from dead bodies.

A machine, said to be a marvel of lightness and ingenuity, has recently been built in Australia for experiments in flying through the air. It is propelled by an engine fed with compressed air.

It has recently been shown that the bad effects of fog were felt most by tropical plants which, in a state of nature, were exposed to the sunlight. Plants which grew under the shade of forest trees did not suffer so much. Soft, tender plants and aquatic vegetation seemed to come off worst.

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A Washington physician has a somewhat novel theory of dietetics. "It is not the food which you assimilate which makes you fat," he said, "but that which you eat and fail to assimilate. Eat as many meals a day as you please, but eat little at a time, and avoid fluids, and you will reduce your weight."

It was recently maintained before the Paris Academy that shortness of sight was a defect incident to civilization or to an artificial condition of life. An examination of the eyes of wild animals shows that those captured after the age of six or eight months remain long sighted, while those captured earlier or born in captivity are near sighted.

At the last meeting of the Physical Society in England an electric lamp was exhibited which lighted itself when darkness came on and extinguished itself when daylight or another strong light was brought into the field. The lamp is worked by a selenium coil on the principle that the strength of the current varies with the intensity of light falling on the selenium.

EDUCATIONAL.

There are 75 American colleges for women.

There are still 96 log schoolhouses remaining in Oregon.

In the University of Maryland are 100 women dental students.

No more colored students are to be admitted to the Maryland Law School.

A year ago Harvard had 2,079 students, Columbia 1,620, and Yale 1,477.

Only four of the 36 professors of Kansas University were born in Kansas.

Boston's board of education has decided to abolish flogging in the public schools.

The Seventh Day Adventists will build a university in the Northwest, either at Walla Walla or Spokane.

The richest American college is Columbia, with an endowment of $9,000,000. Harvard comes second, with about 7,000,000.

Women can study agriculture at Dartmouth the coming year. Those who have already learned to harrow up men's feelings will take to it naturally.

One of the significant educational tendencies of the day is the increased interest in the study of history and politics at Johns Hopkins University.

The study of cookery was introduced into the schools of New York city three years ago, and now about 1,000 girls are learning how to boil eggs, bake bread, make coffee, broil steak, and shun the frying pan.

Corsets, tight shoes, and all artificial and fake ideas of dress are discountenanced at Mr. Moody's Worthfield school, and girls are taught the higher etchics as well as practical results of physical culture.

In the New York public schools last year there were 18,642 pupils who studied German under 42 teachers, an increase of 8,000 over the number of two years before. There are now 3,874 pupils who study French in 14 public schools.

A resolution has been adopted by the Alabama legislature directing the committee on education to inquire into the propriety and expediency of admitting students of both sexes to the State institutions of learning, and also as to the expediency of a women's annex to the Agricultural and Mechanical College at Auburn.

PERSONAL.

Kossuth, at 88, is writing his memoirs at Turin, Italy.

Mary Ann Morse, of Natick, Mass., bequeaths $150,000 to the town for a hospital.

Queen Victoria has five maids to assist at her toilet, viz: Three dressers and two wardrobe women.

The ex-Emperor Dom Pedro is making a Portuguese translation of the "Arabian Nights."

Rumors are current that Justice Lamar is growing weary of the Supreme Court routine, owing to failing health.

Ex-Attorney General Garland has built up a large and lucrative practice in the Supreme Court at Washington, which is now his home.

Mr. Stanley, in his lectures, never speaks of "niggers" or "negroes." He invariably classes the people as "white men" and "black men."

Madame Barrios, widow of the celebrated president of Venezuela, is now staying in Washington. Her fortune is said, on good authority, to aggregate $6,000,000.

Jay Gould goes to bed every night at 10 o'clock, does not drink tea or coffee, eats with great regularity, and takes admirable care of his health, but the pace has told upon him, nevertheless.

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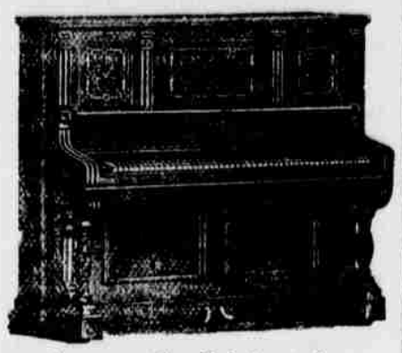

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No. 164.—Cross Word Enigma.

In Elbe, not in Po.
In line, not in row.
In April, not in June.
In lunar, not in moon.
In lament, not in rue.
In yellow, not in blue.
In steam, not in mist.
My whole is a baldheaded humorist.

No. 165.—Pi.

A yogir paresipa het noer;
Het wedmoa karl locras eth norm.
Eth wed tnseliag rove
Het sagar dan teh rolvec
Sit eujn—nad het rumsem si nobr!

No. 166.—Three Constellations.

No. 167.—Favorite Geraniums.

(1) Within my window garden stands
A lady of ye olden time,
A stately dame, with fair white hands
At war with every form of crime.

(2) Beside her, clad in red and gold,
Stands one of noble form and name,
With martial bearing brave and bold—
A president of later fame

(3) When springtime sunshine floods the earth,
The sleeping flowers in field and hedge
Awake, 'mid sounds of joy and mirth,
To that which decks my window ledge.

(4) But, standing where the sunset's dower
Falls lingeringly on leaf and bloom,
Is one which by its subtle power
From our lives will take all care and gloom.

No. 168.—Conundrum.

The hands upon the dial show
That it is six o'clock—
My husband's hand is on the gate,
His step is on the walk.

What similarity exists
Between the dial's hands
And him who came so promptly home?
Tell me, ye puzzling bands.

No. 169.—Two Rhomboids.

Across—1. A light meal. 2. Takes off the skin. 3. Vessels for traveling. 4. Supports. 5. Little quarrels. Down—1. A consonant. 2. Aloft. 3. To seize. 4. That which is gathered from a field. 5. Receives sound. 6. To bring to a conclusion. 7. A German spring. 8. An abbreviated word signifying a sanctified human being. 9. A consonant.

Across—1. The entire. 2. Relating to birth. 3. A girl's name. 4. A mineral. 5. An issue. Down—1. A letter. 2. Upon. 3. To brown. 4. A small particle. 5. Household gods of the Romans. 6. Delayed. 7. A head covering. 8. Behold. 9. A letter.

No. 170.—Incomplete Sentences.

Replace the first blank by a certain word; then take a word from this word without rearranging the letters, and so form the other words indicated by blanks. Example: Psalter, palter, paler.

1. One of the bold —— of the Spanish main often —— of hitting the —— of his victims by giving them two —— with his club.

2. A learned ——, one of the upper caste among the Hindoos, having stated that the —— of a certain ruler was composed of ——, he was placed under a ——.

3. The old tramp will —— in the dirt —— with all who will listen to him, and this he would continue to do till the —— of the house came off or a high —— blew him away.

No. 171.—Hidden Rivers.

1. It's a pity Ned is too lazy to study.
2. Ah! had I George's ability I would do as well.
3. Give Lisa one of those fine pears.
4. A bright color adorns Kate's cheeks.
5. What ails him? How abashed he seems to be.

No. 172.—Beheading.

1. Behead intellectual, and leave to behave well or ill.
2. Angry, and leave to censure violently.
3. The religion of Mohammed, and leave the winning of all the tricks at whist.
4. Overgrown with ivy, and leave contested.
5. Pertaining to pictures or images, and leave round and decreasing to a point.

Taken Literally.

A gentleman traveling tried to impress an argument upon a fellow passenger who did not seem to grasp it. "Why, sir, it's as plain as A B C," he exclaimed. "That may be," replied the other, "but I am D E F."

Key to the Puzzler.

No. 157.—Crossword Enigma: Hyacinth.
No. 158.—Double Acrostic:

J u s T
T e a c H
T a r d O
R a n s o M
O k r A
WildernesS
B e s e e c H
R a d e a U
I n k l i n G
D e p t H
G a z e t t E
E n g r o s S

No. 159.—Numerical Enigma: "The quality of mercy is not strained."
No. 160.—Charade: Con-tent-ment.
No. 161.—Drop Letter Proverb: "Where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise."
No. 162.—Geographical Puzzle: From 25 to 1, Boston; 25 to 3, Bergen; 25 to 5, Bengal; 25 to 7, Biscay; 25 to 9, Borneo; 25 to 11, Bogota; 25 to 13, Bremen; 25 to 15, Burmah; 25 to 17, Balkan; 25 to 19, Berlin; 25 to 21, Bombay; 25 to 23, Bangor; 3 to 5, Natal; 7 to 9, Yeddo; 11 to 13, Akron; 15 to 17, Huron; 19 to 21, Nancy; 23 to 1, Rouen; 4 to 6, Etna; 8 to 10, Acre; 12 to 14, Tyre; 16 to 18, Asia; 20 to 22, Iowa; 24 to 2, Ohio.
No. 163.—Famous English Authors: 1. Bacon. 2. Pope. 3. Swift. 4. Butler. 5. Locke. 6. Taylor. 7. Blackstone.

THE OLD BAND.

It's mighty good to get back to the old town shore,
Considerin' I've been away twenty year and more.
Since I moved then to Kansas of course I see a change,
A comin' back, and notice things that's new to me and strange,
Especially at evenin' when yer new band fellers meet
In fancy uniforms and all, and play out on the street.
What's come of old Bill Lindsay and the Saxhorn fellers; say?
I want to hear the old band play.

What's come of Eastman and Nat Snow, and where's War Barnett at?
And Nate and Bony Meek, Bill Hart, Sam Rich'son and that
Air brother of him played the drum as twice as big as Jim?
And old Hi Kerns, the carpenter; say, what's become o' him?
I make no doubt, yer new band, now's a competenter band,
And plays their music more by note than what they play by hand,
And stylisher and grander tunes; but somehow, anyway,
I want to hear the old band play.

Such tunes as "John Brown's Body" and "Sweet Alice," don't you know?
And "The Camels is A-comin'," and "John Anderson, my Jo."
And a dozen others of 'm, "Number Nine" and "Number 'Leven."
Was favorites that fairly made a feller dream o' heaven.
And when the boys 'nd saranade, I've laid so still in bed
I've even heerd the locus' blossoms droppin' on the shed,
When "Lilly Dale" er "Hazel Dell" had sobbed and died away:
I want to hear the old band play.

The new band maybe beats it, but the old band's what I said;
It allus 'peared to kind o' chord with somepin' in my head;
And, whilse I'm no musicianer, when my blame eyes is jes
Nigh drowned out and mem'ry squares her jaws and sort o' says
She won'ner never will fergit, I want to jes furn in,
And take and light right o' here, and git back West ag'in.
And stay there, when I git there, where I never haf to say:
I want to hear the old band play.
—[James Whitcomb Riley.

Southern Wit in War.

As we are reminded by the author of "Four Years in Rebel Capitals," the South, as well as the North, needed to exercise its sense of humor, whenever that was possible, to carry it through the terrible strain of the war. Some of the puns, burlesques, and repartee of that dreadful time have become locally historic. Colonel Tom August, of the First Virginia, was the Charles Lamb of Confederate war wits, genial and ever gay.

Early in secession days a bombastic friend approached him with the question, "Well, sir, I presume your voice is still for war?"

"Oh, yes," replied the wit, "perfectly still!"

Always to be remembered is General Zebulon Vance's apostrophe to the rabbit, flying by him from a heavy rifle fire: "Go it, cotton tail! If I hadn't a reputation, I'd be with you!"

Equally forcible was the protest of the Western recruit, ordered on picket at Munson's Hill:

"Go yander ter keep em off! W'y, weuns kem hyah ter fight th' Yanks, an' ef youuns skeer 'em off, how'n thunder ez thar goan' ter be a scrimmage, nohow?"

City Point, on the James River, was the landing for transports, with soldiers released from Northern prisons on parole. One day a most woebegone and emaciated "Johnny" sat swinging his shoeless feet from a barrel, awaiting his turn, when a pompous Federal major remarked, to no one in particular: "It isn't far to Richmond."

"Reck'n et's near onto three thousin' mile," drawled Johnny weakly.

"Nonsense! You must be crazy!" retorted the officer, staring.

"Wal, I ent a-reck'nin' edzact," was the slow reply. "Jest thought so, kinder."

"Oh, you did! And why, pray?"

"'Cause it's took'n youuns nigh onto foore year to git thar from Wash'n'ton," was the settling retort.

Florida's Labyrinthian Waterways.

"Where have you been?" said a guest at one of the hotels yesterday as a friend walked up the steps, well laden with souvenirs from south Florida.

"Oh!" was the reply, "I've been down to Charlotte Harbor and up that river with the unmentionable name."

"Caloosahatchee?"

"Yes, that's it. I spent six days trying to pronounce it and haven't succeeded yet. These Indian names are beautiful names, but they are deucedly hard to pronounce. By the way, where have you been?"

"Well, I went over to the Suwanee River, cut over the country, and shot 'gators on the Withlacoochee, fished for bass in 'Tsala Apopka, sailed on Thonotosassa, skipped over to Okonlockhatchee, walked by the shores of the Weohyakapka, plucked flowers by Hickpochee's limpid waters, visited the sugar fields on Tohopekaliga, sailed on the tortuous Kissimmee, was buffeted by the waves of Okeechobee, and have also captured tarpon on the Caloosahatchee. I also expect to visit Istokpogayoxie, Lockapepka, Hatcheneeha, and Ecautockhatchee before I leave the State."

"Gosh!" ejaculated his companion, as he stepped into the hotel.—[Florida Times-Union.

Money Talks.

Bible—Filthy lucre.

Washington Irving—The almighty dollar.

Ben Jonson—Get money; still get money, boys.

Bible—The love of money is the root of all evil.

Shakespeare—Money is a good soldier, sir, and will on.

Milton—Money brings honor, friends, conquest, and realms.

Tennyson—But the jingling of the guinea helps the hurt that honor feels.

Mirabeau—The two greatest inventions of the human mind are money and writing.

George Herbert—Get to live; then live to use it. Surely use alone makes money not a contemptible stone.

Cowley—

Shame and woe to us if we our wealth obey,
The horse does with the horseman run away.

The Farmers' Encampment.

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The American Farmers' Encampment at Mt. Gretna will be held this year from August 16th to the 22nd, and from what we already know, it promises to be one of the largest and greatest exhibitions and farmers gatherings ever before convened in this country. Everybody who attended last year's gathering at Mt. Gretna went away pleased, and those from other States, who had never before been at Mt. Gretna were delighted with the place and its surroundings. This year thirty acres of cleared space will be added to the already large area devoted last year to the exhibition of machinery, and it is confidently expected that it will be occupied. Already inquiries for exhibits are coming in rapidly and in addition to those who were there last year, who will greatly enlarge and improve their exhibits, many new ones will be there.

Mt. Gretna, in itself is a great attraction and has become the famous picnic grounds of eastern Pennsylvania. During the summer almost daily there are large excursions and picnics at this place, and its adaptation for the accommodation of large crowds, is one of its principal features. A hundred thousand people do not crowd the vast grounds. The State Encampment of National Guardsmen is held here and it has been pronounced by United States Army officers, who with their commands have encamped with our State troops, to be the finest camp ground in the country. For such a gathering as the Farmers' Encampment, no better place than Mt. Gretna could be found. The magnificent grounds, large enough to accommodate every demand, with pure mountain air, a dozen or more springs of pure water, cold and refreshing, coming from the mountain side, with its large auditorium and pavillions, its immense floor space for exhibits, its shady walks, the gravity railway to the top of Governor Dick, from which point opens up a most magnificent landscape view, all contribute to make Mt. Gretna an attractive spot for such a gathering as the great American Farmers' Encampment. The place in itself, as we have already said, is worth a visit, but with the added attractions next August, of thousands of farmers from every section of our country, and acre upon acre of agricultural machinery, etc., on exhibition, will form an attraction such as perhaps has never before been seen in this country.

There are ample railroad facilities to accommodate all who go and come. There will be some great speeches, and interesting events in addition to the great exhibition, that will form attractive features of the great encampment.

Among the prominent men who will be in attendance may be mentioned, Hon. Jeremiah Rusk, Secretary of Agriculture; Senator Pieffer and Congressman Simpson of Kansas; Leonard Rhone, Master of the Pennsylvania State Grange, and Henry C. Snavely, President of the State Farmers' Alliance, and others whose names will be added as their acceptances are received. No effort on the part of the management will be spared, not only to make the encampment a success, but the largest gathering of agriculturists and their friends ever before gathered in one place, and Mt. Gretna is large enough to hold them all.—*York Dispatch.*

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QUAY HELD RESPONSIBLE.

THE LOOTED TREASURY AND OTHER EVILS CHARGED TO HIM

A FORMIDABLE REPUBLICAN REVOLT IN PHILADELPHIA.

A formidable movement against the domination of Pennsylvania politics by Quay has begun in Philadelphia. One hundred and fifty of the most conservative but stanchest Republican business men—lawyers, bankers and ministers—issued a powerful appeal to the Republican party to throw Quay overboard and save the party from impending ruin.

The signers of this address are not connected with the Republican Reform Association. They represent the most powerful element in the party in the city and include the greater part of Republicans who have made Republican majorities in Philadelphia possible, and without whose support it would be impossible to elect any Republican ticket in Pennsylvania.

The address is as follows:

"As Pennsylvanians and as Republicans, we, the undersigned, feel constrained to address our fellow-citizens throughout the State upon the present political situation—to point out what we believe to be the essential causes of the alarming degradation in public affairs from which we now suffer and the necessary steps towards improvement.

"The Republican machine in the State under the leadership of Senator Quay and those lieutenants whom he has drawn about him is corrupt and in strong contrast to the rank and file of the party. That leadership is as absolute in its control as it is unscrupulous in its methods and disastrous in its results.

QUAY'S RECORD.

"With Senator Quay's political record the public is so familiar that it is unnecessary at this time to give a detailed history of those more remote public acts through which its notoriety was acquired, while a brief reference to its more recent events is appropriate in order to depict clearly the present situation.

Mr. Quay is mainly responsible for the overwhelming disaster which befell the Republican party in this State during the past Autumn, whereby an accustomed Republican majority of twenty to thirty thousand was changed to a Democratic majority of 17,000. The single issue of the campaign as determined by Mr. Quay himself was the vindication of his own personal and political character.

"The adoption of the Republican platform involved a declaration of confidence and respect for the junior Senator, and in the election of the Republican candidate the acceptance of a man who was nominated at the dictation of Mr Quay. The State rejected both the plank and the candidate and a political revolution ensued. The Republican party was defeated in Pennsylvania, its most conspicuous stronghold.

"It might have been supposed that the leader who had inflicted such a wound upon his party and to whom it had given so overwhelming an evidence of a lack of confidence in him would have retired from public prominence. Mr. Quay, however, contented himself with an elaborate defense of his record before the United States Senate.

"This was both untimely and inconclusive. Untimely, since it came after all possible damage that could result to his character had been effected by his silence under the grave charges repeatedly made against him from responsible sources through the long, critical period preceding the election; inconclusive, since he failed in it to adopt the simple and the only course in relation to the Treasury scandal that could have made clear his innocence.

"Had Mr. Quay accepted the suggestion that he should call upon Mr. MacVeagh and the other gentlemen who were said to have been present when his alleged defalcations in connection with the Treasury was covered by Mr. Cameron, to testify in his favor he would have adopted the obvious means for securing vindication. But this he did not do, and failing to take such a course his defense falls to the ground and his previous position remains unchanged.

BALLOT REFORM.

"Notwithstanding these facts he still retains the party leadership, and his lieutenants, either acting under his direct though hidden command or only in strict accord with the principles of his school of politics by the attitude that he and they assumed towards the Ballot Reform bill, have violated the express pledges of the party, have openly defied the will of the overwhelming majority of their constituents Their amendments first made by the State Senate Committee to the Baker Ballot bill were of such a nature as to transform the very spirit of that measure from one in the interest of free and fair elections to one designed to perpetuate the corrupt practices under which the State had so long suffered and by which these leaders have so long retained their power.

"But those who designed and favored these amendments, and who thereby declared themselves in favor of a fraudulent ballot, will be remembered by the voters of the State, and when the day for consideration of the qualifications of our public servants shall have come, the names of those who have thus defied the commands of their constituents will not be forgotten.

"For the defeat of the bill abolishing the local School Boards in Philadelphia, which was designed to free our public schools from political influence and from a divided and cumbersome control, a Republican legislature must also be held responsible. The measure had the approval of the great majority of our best citizens, of all creeds and of both parties, and the time was ripe for its adoption.

THE LOOTED TREASURY

All these statements, while they touch the root from which the other evils have grown, find a fitting culmination in that scandal of more recent exposure—the robbery of the city and State Treasury by its dishonest guardian. Not only must the citizens of Philadelphia suffer a tarnished name, a direct loss of a million dollars or upwards, while thousands of depositors lose their earnings through the failure of banks connected with the defalcation, but those untold and untraceable losses resulting from the shaken confidence in the community must also ensue.

"There is a fundamental fallacy in the theory of politics which has for years obtained in this State and of which Mr. Quay has been the leading exponent. It is that public offices are spoils, the lawful property of the politicians who capture them and by whom they are dispensed in turn to their underlings as the prizes of war. But the truth is that these offices are a public trust, which should be held in stewardship by the politicans for the people.

"The disaster of a looted treasury is explained by the fact that the step from this fallacy to the startling and bold appropriation of public funds to the private use of public officers is a long one in appearance only, not in reality. That step has now been taken.

"A partial remedy for future trustees of the same kind lies in the party's acceptance and assertion of the truth that public office is a public trust, and that it will not support in power men who deny that truth.

"We are soon to nominate an Auditor-General and a State and City Treasurer. In making these nominations, if the elections are to give these posts to Republicans, we must see to it that the men chosen are both honest and of such firm character that they cannot be twisted to dishonest purposes. In the presence of these facts, can the Republican voters of Pennsylvania hesitate as to their duty or be in doubt as to their course?

A MOMENTOUS CRISIS.

"The moment is a crisis, as real and as momentous as any thorough which the State has ever passed. There was a time when Pennsylvania rose in arms to victory at the presence of a hostile invader upon her border, but the danger was less than to-day, when the hands of the public thief are upon her ballot-box and have been through her treasury.

"The poison of political corruption and dishonesty have alike affected those who have promoted and those who have permitted it. It has produced a paralysis running through moral causes to material results. Many of our good citizens have been blind and deaf to the condition about them until the vicious system and the evil principles have culminated in an appalling defalcation and increased tax rate.

"None will dare dispute the value of sound principles in politics. With a great financial scandal, the black bottom of which has not yet been sounded, fastened upon Philadelphia and with the name of our State a word of political reproach throughout the country we are convinced that the time is ripe for a change.

"We appeal to the patriotism, to the sound sense of Republicans throughout the State. or in the absence of sensibility, to high considerations, to that fear of impending financial and political danger which further inaction will bring, to so consider this question and so to agitate it as to secure speedly the required reform. Here, in reality, is a chance for reform within the party by such an expression of popular sentiment against the objectionable men that they shall fail of renomination to their respective offices and thus the voter be saved the alternative of accepting an unworthy candidate or voting for one of the opposite party.

INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY.

"The evils which we now suffer will be overcome if each man shall but feel a personal responsibility for their removal, and will make those individual and associated efforts which, if wisely planned and faithfully exerted, bring victory. The objectionable public records of the men who have inflicted those evils must be exposed. There must be a more competent and worthy leadership than that of Mr. Quay, and the Legislature must be purged of those who have placed themselves on record as the enemies of ballot reform.

"The demand for the retirement of these men from the parties which they have disgraced must be unflinching. The political methods which they have adopted must be discontinued and in their place must be substituted only those consistent with sound morals and with the practice of honorable men. These ideas must find expression through the public press and by the private letters of constituents to their representatives. If they are not insisted upon and adopted the Republican party in Pennsylvania is doomed. It will fall rapidly from decay into dissolution. No party can long survive the deliberate abnegation of principle or the adoption of the heresy that the people at heart have ceased to believe in right.

PRACTICAL POLITICS.

"That which we urge is not sentimentality, but politics of the most practical sort, the financial losses which the State and individuals are now enduring would seem to have clearly proved. We issue our appeal at a time when these events are fresh in the public mind to permit that full consideration and agitation of the subject which should precede ultimate action at the primaries or the polls. If this appeal shall excite a popular response, ways and means can readily be devised for organized effort at a later date.

"Those throughout the State who are in sympathy with the above and who desire to co-operate in an effort to secure the reforms indicated, address Lock Box 782, Philadelphia Post-Office."

STATE COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT.

JUNE 30th, 1891.

Leaving Bloomsburg on the D. L. & W. 12.15 train with Mr. P. A. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hagenbuch, delegates from our county, we enjoyed a pleasant trip down the Susquehanna Valley to Northumberland, thence up the West Branch to Montandon and thence by the Lewisburg & Tyrone railroad through the Buffalo, Penn's and Nitany Valleys to Lemont where stages met the train and conveyed the delegates and visitors to the college, where we arrived 6 P. M. Our attention was attracted to the fact that no where along the road did we see as good crops of wheat, oats, hay or corn as we saw at home.

At 8 o'clock p. m., we attended the Junior Oratorical contest in the college chapel. (This beautiful room was furnished by the School Furnishing Co., of Bloomsburg). The music for the evening, and for all commencement exercises, was furnished by the college orchestra of eight pieces, led by Prof. Beyer, instructor in civil engineering and was a subject of comment by all who were present. The judges were Rev. Calder, J. F. Robb Esq., and Cyrus T. Fox. Six young men took part. All did very well indeed and the prize was awarded to Milton S. McDowell of Milroy, subject, "A Nation's Defenders," with honorable mention of Nelson M. Lloyd, subject, "The Agnostic." The evening was pleasantly and profitably spent and the lights were not all out before July 1st, but all were up early in the morning to find that the rain had cooled the air and the weather was beautiful. Attended chapel at the college and after meeting several old friends, witnessed the artillery salute by the students. Two large wagons conveyed the delegates and visitors over the farm accompanied by Dr. Armsby, director of the experiment station, Dr. Frear, chemist of the station and college, Prof. Hunt, the agriculturalist and Mr. Patterson the farmer, all of whom spared no time or trouble to show and explain the working of the farm and college. At 10 o'clock the Trustee meeting was called by the President of the Board, Hon. Francis Jordan, of Harrisburg. Ten trustees with Dr. Atherton and Dr. Waller made a full Board. The old business was transacted with dispatch and the Board adjourned to the armory to participate in the Alumni dinner furnished by that well-known caterer, B. C. Achenbach of Bellefonte. Over 300 enjoyed this elegant repast served by the College boys, after which we listened to the following toasts:

The relation of the College to the United States, by Secretary Chas. W. Stone; The relation of the College to the Commonwealth, by Dr. D. J. Waller, Jr.; Our sister institutions, by Dr. Bickley, of Gettysburg College; Our Alumni by J. F. Robb, Esq.; The Graduating Class of '91, by F. N. Widner.

After dinner the election of Trustees was held in the Chapel. Judge Sitzel of Reading was chosen chairman, and H. V. White and Dr. Warren secretaries. The chair announced that the term of Francis Jordan, Charles W. Roberts, J. Doyle, Gabriel Hiester and Frank Knoche had expired and the meeting was ready to receive nominations for four members to be elected by the delegates, one to be elected by the Alumni. Francis Jordan, C. W. Roberts, James A. Beaver, Cyrus T. Fox and Cyrus Hoffa were nominated. By request Cyrus Hoffa's name was withdrawn and ballot cast for the remaining four, showing thirty-four delegates present. The Alumni then put in nomination Gabriel Hiester and Frank Knoche and after ballot declared Gabriel Hiester to be their choice, twenty-nine votes having been cast.

The new Board of Trustees then organized by electing Francis Jordan Pres. and Dr. Atherton Secy. The President appointed Messrs. Orvis, Beaver, Woodward, Roberts and Atherton Executive Committee. After transacting the business before the Board, adjourned to meet to-morrow 9 a. m. This evening was taken by the Alumni, the chief feature being an address by Gen. D. H. Hastings that was masterly and enjoyable. This was followed by a surprise to Dr. Atherton in the shape of a very handsome silver service from his neighbors and friends. The presentation was made by Hon. C. W. Stone and so affecting was his earnest declaration of friendship and esteem cherished by the friends of the College for the President that many handkerchiefs were seen in the audience. Dr. Atherton's reply was earnest but he was too deeply moved for his usual quick response. The Faculty reception to the Alumni closed the day very pleasantly.

Thursday, July 2nd was Graduation Day. The several orations by members of the class were very bright and showed clearly that the College was up to the times in her method of instruction. The Commencement address was delivered by Hon. A. K. McClure, Editor of the *Philadelphia Times*. His subject "Industry and Education" was handled in a masterly way and was both instructive and pleasing to all who heard it. The Conferring of Degrees and awarding of prizes completed the exercises of the day, and the evening was a grand success in the Junior Reception to the Senior Class in the Armory, 8 to 12:30. None seemed to tire of the round of entertainments, and to those of us who have been going up to the College year after year, it is very noticeable that the watchword on the hill is Improvement. This institution is now well equipped with buildings and apparatus and manned with a faculty, that for earnest, able, honest qualifications stands first in our State. All the surroundings are so healthy and invigorating that it is not a hardship for a young man or woman to work out the course and leave the place better educationally, socially, morally and physically. We trust that every father and mother who have children to send away from home to school will be sure to first pay a visit to Pennsylvania State College.

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In the year 1815 the family of this famous man was given permission to remove his dust to Rednor, but upon opening the grave it was found that the body was partly petrified, and, consequently, very heavy. A medical friend of the family, recognizing the fact that it would be a very difficult and costly task to transport the remains in that condition, determined, as far as possible, to remove the petrified flesh from the bones, and this was accordingly done. The bones were then carefully packed up and delivered to the son, who was kept in ignorance of the operation, and he conveyed the box containing the precious remains of his father's body to his native county, where they were interred with appropriate ceremonies.

A monument was erected in 1809 over the grave by the Pennsylvania Society of the Cincinnati. What remained of the warrior was reinterred at Fort Presque Isle. and some years ago was discovered in the same state of preservation as when first exhumed, in a box bearing his name. Another memorial stone was raised in that place, and thus was commemorated the fact that all that was mortal of "Mad Anthony" Wayne found a final resting place in two localities far apart from each other.—*Detroit Free Press.*

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The land to be bought is that owned by Col. R. B. Ricketts and is situated in Wyoming and Sullivan counties, and includes the land lying at the headwaters of the Mehoopany Creek. The entire quantity will embrace at least twenty thousand acres. If the purchase is made, a tannery will be erected which will consume from ten to fifteen thousand cords of bark per year and a saw mill having a capacity of from twenty to thirty million feet of lumber per year will also at once be constructed. The site has not been chosen but it will either be on the headwaters of the Mehoopany Creek in Sullivan county, or at the village of Mehoopany, Wyoming county; C. H. Jennings of Lopez, will be the active manager and superintendent. Mr. Jennings's long experience and great business abilities insure the success of this part of the undertaking. The syndicate will also build at their own expense a line of railroad to connect with the Lehigh Valley at Mehoopany and which will tap the unbroken forests lying at the headwaters of that stream.

CANDIDATES' CARDS.

The following is a list of Candidates for County offices to be voted for at the delegate election held Saturday, August 8th, 1891, between the hours of 3 and 7 o'clock p. m. Nominating Convention, Tuesday, August 11th.

For Sheriff,
GEORGE BREISCH,
of Main township.

For Sheriff,
JOHN MOUREY,
of Roaringcreek.

For Sheriff,
DANIEL KNORR,
of Locust Township.

For Sheriff,
J. B. KNITTLE,
of Catawissa.

For Sheriff,
CHARLES S. REICHART,
of Main township.

For Associate Judge,
C. G. MURPHY,
of Centralia.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, to distribute the funds in the hands of James T. Fox executor of the estate of Franklin Rhodes, deceased, as appears on his final account, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the Columbian building in Bloomsburg on Saturday the 25th day of July next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all parties interested are requested to

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FRIDAY JULY 10, 1891.

Mr. A. Z. Schoch is making some extensive repairs and additions at his residence at the head of Market St.

The Lutheran Church building at Catawissa has been declared unsafe for use.

A considerable amount of local news that was crowded out last week, appears in this issue.

M. J. Phillips is a candidate for associate Judge in Sullivan county. He is well known here as a school book agent.

Every tissue of the body, every nerve bone and muscle is made stronger and more healthy by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Charles W. McKelvy sold his horse, Davy, last week to a man named Smoulter of Nanticoke, for $325. It was a good price, but the horse is well worth the money.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Eyerly and Mr. C. D. Spigelmeyer desire to express their thanks for the kindness extended to them during the illness of Mrs. Speigelmeyer.

There will be a cake and ice cream festival in Warman's Hall, Espy, Saturday evening, July 11th, by the Lutheran church. An invitation is extended to everyone. All are welcome.

One of Miss Eva Brady's eyes has been crossed for some years, causing a deformity. She submitted to an operation last week by Dr. Brown which resulted in making the eye straight.

All the iron works are closed in Danville. The men were asked to sign a new schedule of wages, which they refused. There is no indication of a compromise.

Rev. F. B. Biddle is making great improvements on his dwelling house on Centre street. The brick and wood work is all being painted, and the carpenters and masons making general repairs.

The side walks along First street between Market and Centre, and along Fifth street between East and Catharine, need the attention of our progressive Council. They are very dangerous and should be graded and paved at once.

Catawissa had a big time on the 4th. An eloquent address was delivered by Fred T. Ikeler, and Judge Ikeler made an impromptu speech at the request of the chairman. There was a big crowd and fine parade. In the evening there was a nice display of fire works.

Dr. Meeker's Medicines are pure and a sure cure for whatever the claim. Lung tonic for colds. Speedy relief for pains, internal and external. Blackberry Cordral for bowel complaints, for young and old. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale by all druggists. Manufactured by H. C. & J. A. Olmstead. Williamsport, Pa. All put up in 25 and 50 cts bottles. 6-19-1 yr.

Louis Townsend has purchased the stock of the watchmaker and jeweler at Berwick and will soon locate there. He has leased a room in the Jackson building, a few doors from the National bank. Mr. Townsend is a fine, and careful workman, has had experience in the leading jewelry store at Carlisle, a graduate of the Ophthalmic college of Chicago, and withal a first-class business man. We are glad to learn of his location in Berwick, and wish him the abundant success his ability deserves.

THE COLUMBIAN last week contained about eleven columns of matter concerning the Normal School and Commencement week exercises. The paper was on sale with a synopsis of all the essays and orations within an hour after their delivery. This exhibition of newspaper enterprise was rewarded by the sale of about 700 extra copies of the paper. We are indebted to Prof. Albert for much valuable assistance in preparing the reports, and to Keller Albert for his efficiency as a newsboy.

"HE THAT KNOWS

And knows he knows, is wise," says the Arabian proverb. Once realize that rheumatism, gout, neuralgia, dyspepsia, skin disease, liver and kid-

See W. L. Manning's notice in another part of this paper. 6-26-4t.

Mr. C. Bittenbender is our authorized collector in Bloomsburg. He will call upon all our town subscribers.

For a safe real estate investment, guaranteed to pay at least seven per cent clear, inquire of
WINTERSTEEN, BECKLEY & M'KILLIP,
First National Bank Building.

The Lutheran Sunday School will hold their annual pic-nic at Central this year on the 23d of this month (Thursday). If the weather should be unfavorable that day, excursion will go next day. Everybody invited.

The many patrons of THE COLUMBIAN who have responded so promptly and cheerfully to our request for settlement of subscription arrearages, have our thanks. There are still a number from whom we would like to hear

It is estimated that seven hundred people attended the excursion up the B. & S. to Central on Friday, from Espy, Bloomsburg, Lightstreet, and Orangeville. It was a bright day, and everything passed off pleasantly. Quite a number of the party dined at the Proctor Inn, Jamison City.

George Breisch of Main township is announced this week as a candidate for sheriff. His name should have appeared two weeks ago, but the copy was accidentally lost, and its omission was not observed by the editors until attention was called to it this week. The omission was entirely unintentional, and we regret that it happened.

Be a man! Some men take a newspaper for four our five years without paying for it, and then when a bill is presented they get mad and say, "the paper is no good anyhow. There's nothing in it." If you don't like a newspaper, pay up and stop it. Don't sponge on the editor for several years and then abuse him when he wants his pay. Be a man!

It is said that the body of Smiler, one of the men executed at Sing Sing by electricity, on Tuesday, was badly burned. His face was scarred and seamed, his eyes mutilated, his hair, mustache and eyebrows singed off, and his left leg burned to the bone by the electrodes. The bodies of the other three murderers were buried in quick time.

The past year at the Normal school has been one of the most successful in the history of the school. Prof J. P. Welsh and his estimable wife have proven themselves entirely competent. Prof. Welsh is not only a thorough disciplinarian, a man of broad views, and extensive learning, but he is also a man of plain, common-sense, everyday, practical business ideas, and he carries these into the management of the school in all that he does. The prospects for a large attendance in the fall are very bright.

It is a source of gratificatton to the citizens of Columbia County to know that the Wilkes Barre & Western Rail Road has completed its line to Orangeville and that the time tables show the running of the trains arranged so that citizens of Bloomsburg and throughout the entire Fishingcreek valley, desiring to visit the north western portions of the county and West Branch Valley can do so. Connections with the Bloomsburg & Sullivan going north and south are made at Orangeville.

Cure Yourself!

Don't pay large doctors' bills. The best medical book published, one hundred pages, elegant colored plates, will be sent to you on receipt of three 2-cent stamps to pay the postage. Address A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass. 7-10-2t.

EXCURSION TO CENTRAL.

There will be an excursion to Central on Thursday, July 16th, by the Congregation and Sunday School of St. Paul's Episcopal church. This will be an enjoyable picnic and all persons are cordially invited, The train will leave Bloomsburg at 8 a. m. Tickets for the excursion, 50cts. For those under fourteen, 25cts. If the 16th, should be a stormy day the excursion will be on the 21st inst.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

SUPERINTENDENT JOHNSTON'S REPORT.

On assuming my official duties most of the schools of the county were found to be in fair condition. however a number were not in as good condition as they may and should be.

Good work wherever observed—and there has been some good work done this year—has been encouraged and impractical methods have been discouraged.

Substantial buildings were erected in Orange, Fishingcreek, and Sugarloaf townships. One in each.

Slate black-boards were put in one school in Hemlock, three in Greenwood, and seven in Locust. Locust now has such boards in all the schools.

Flags were put in the schools of Centralia and Conyngham.

The Bloom directors having examined many courses of study of the best schools of the country have adopted a new course for their schools.

Practical business training, shorthand, and Type-writing are included in the course, and such instruction is contemplated as will fit the graduates of the High school to enter the Senior class at the Normal. This Board is also considering the subject of Manual Training.

Improvements are being made throughout the county in the school houses, apparatus and furniture, but not sufficient attention is given to the out-buildings and the grounds.

Fifty-seven of our teachers are Normal graduates; five hold permanent certificates; twenty-eight hold professionals; and one hundred and twenty-two hold provisionals.

The standard is being gradually raised and there is an encouraging tendency among teachers to secure higher grade certificates

As a rule our teachers are earnest, faithful workers. There are still a few who do not seem to realize what is required of a teacher, or, realizing it, lack the energy to do that which may justly be expected of them

Yet with our present teachers doing more professional reading; working more unitedly with the same definite end in view; taking more interest in Teachers' Associations; and with closer supervision which appears in the distance, there is no limit to the good that may be accomplished by our schools.

Our directors are doing commendable work. They seem to be earnestly working to have better school-facilities and better schools.

The Directors' Association is in a flourishing condition.

Every school in the county was visited once, and a number twice.

It is possible to visit schools twice in districts having a term of eight or ten months. Once before the other schools have commenced and once after the others have closed. But owing to the large territory to go over one visit is all that can be made to schools having the minimum term.

In every district one or more directors and sometimes citizens usually accompanied me in my visits. In several districts the directors visit the schools regularly. It is most desirable that such be the case in all.

The Normal school under the able leadership of Prof. Welsh is in a very prosperous condition. The largest class in the history of the school was graduated this year.

Prof. Russel with three assistants is doing good work at the Greenwood Seminary.

The Orangeville Academy in charge of Prof. Moore is sustaining its reputation among the institutions of learning of the county.

A good and largely patronized Private school in Bloomsburg is conducted by an efficient educator, Miss Amelia Armstrong, ably assisted by Miss Mildred Knorr, a graduate of Vassar.

The Berwick, Catawissa, and Centralia High Schools sent out a number of graduates.

By those competent to judge, the county institute was a great success.

The instructors and lecturers present were Hon. D. J. Waller, Jr., Supt. Walton, Misses Armstrong, Knorr, and Miller, Mrs. Welsh, Profs. Welsh, Wilbur, Noetling, Becht, Cope, Harkins, Albert, Geddis, Richardson, Hall, Rev. Steck, Dr. Hedley, Meig Sisters, and Mrs. Mary A. Livermore. Dr. Jerome Allen of New York city, and Prof. Brumbaugh of Huntingdon were absent on account of sickness.

Seven successful local institutes were held during the year. As brief accounts of each were given in the monthly reports nothing further will be said here.

My thanks are due and heartily tendered to the Department for friendly counsel; to the press of the county for valuable service rendered. to directors, teachers, scholars, and citizens for their kindness and co-operation.

W. C. JOHNSTON.

I Was a Fool.

Yes they said I was a fool not to try Sulphur Bitters for Rheumatism, from which I had suffered over two years; but I had tried so many doctors and medicines without getting relief that I was discouraged. I am now on my fourth bottle and almost cured. I was a fool that I did not try that wonderful remedy before.—*C. G. Pratt, Manchester, N. H.* 6-26-2t,

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

BERWICK GETS ANOTHER PLUM.

For ten years or more the D. L. & W. Company have not built a four-wheeled coal car. The coal "jimmies" or "hoppers" were condemned by the company at that time. There are, however, 11,000 of these unsightly cars on the road. Under a recent act of the Legislature of the State of New York, on and after September 1st, 1892, all cars entering the State of New York must have patent couplers. This act also forbids the running of four-wheeled coal cars. This necessitates between now and then the demolition of 11,000 coal "jimmies," and the erection of a great number of eight-wheeled cars to take the place. These cars will be made largely by the Jackson & Woodin Manufacturing Co., at Berwick, and the prospects are that business in that town in consequence will be very lively for the next year or two.—*Kingston Times.*

Agreeable.

To the taste is Manners' Double Extract for the blood. Its action its on the bowels excels all others of or kind, as it contains no mercury uppaloes. Once tried and it can always be relied upon. Manners' Double Extract Sarsaparilla can be found at all drug stores. Price 50c a bottle. Sold at Moyer Bros., Drug Store.

THE ALUMNI DINNER.

The large dining hall at the Normal was filled with the members of the Alumni Association, the trustees, the Faculty, and their friends, last week Thursday afternoon at the Alumni dinner. Nearly 300 people participated. John M. Clark presided as toast master, and after the dinner was over, a well prepared program was carried ou', beginning with vocal music by Messrs, Colley, Yost, Ent and Yetter. The toasts were as follows: "The Trustees," responded to by James C. Brown; "The Faculty," responded to by Prof. J. M. Conghlin; "Woman," responded to by Bess T. Wintersteen of '89; "The Teacher," responded to by Harry O. Hine, of '85; "The Alumni-ae" responded to by John M. Garson Esq. of '71; "The Class of "91" responded to by Kittie Longshore. Miss Bertha Colvin of '90 sang a pretty solo, and there was more good singing by the male quartette. It was one of the most successful events of the kind in the history of the school.

REV. SINGER'S REPLY.

STILLWATER, July. 6, 1891.

EDITORS OF THE COLUMBIAN.

GENTLEMEN:—In last week's issue of your paper, there is an article written by Rev. Mr. Houtz, in which he says he has been informed that Mr. Singer is not in good standing in his own church. W ho ever told Mr. Houtz that told a falsehood. I have as good standing in as good a church as Mr. Houtz or any other preacher in Penna. for all of which I refer him to my letters of commendation from the Zion Christian church, Spear P. O. Washington Co. Pa., signed by elders, John Fry, Lott Winnett and Samuel Fry. Attested by I. W. Hill, Elias McHenry Daniel McHenry, E. Beishline and W. L. McHenry Elders of the Christian church.

Very Respy. Yours.
R. H. SINGER.

The Potato Louse.

A new insect has made its appearance in this section of the State, and for want of a better name it has been christened the "potato louse." It is a worse pest than the potato bug, for the bugs can be shaken off the potato stalks, but the louse can not. Paris green will kill the bug but this poison does not appear to have any effect on the louse. The farmers have tried many ways to get rid of the louse but have not succeeded so far. The louse is very small, so small as to be hardly visible to the naked eye, and they cover the potato leaves so that scarcely any of the leaf can be seen. They eat the leaf and in a few days it will be withered. It does not take long for the insects to destroy acres of potatoes. Any one discovering a remedy to kill this pest will be a blessing to mankind.—*Ex.*

Hunger is the Best Sauce!

As a rule, a person who has a good appetite has good health. But how many there are who enjoy nothing they eat, and sit down to meals only as an unpleasant duty. Nature's antidotes for this condition are so happily combined in Hood's Sarsaparilla that it soon restores good digestion, creates an appetite, and renovates and vitalizes the blood so that the beneficial effect of good food is imparted to the whole body. Truly hunger is the best sauce, and Hood's Sarsaparilla induces hunger.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., post office and will be sent to the dead letter office July, 21, 1891.

Philip Graham, Mrs. Annie Giger, Miss L. C. Howet, Mr. A. A. Kelley.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they were advertised July 7, 1891.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

A. B. CATHCART,

MARRIED.

On July 1 1891, at the home of the bride's parents, Miss Jennie C. Rhoads of Sunbury and Mr. H. E Dieffenbach of Bloomsburg were united in holy wedlock by the Rev. J. H. Weber. The bridesmaid was Miss Katie A. Neiss of Harrisburg, and the best man W. H. Treible of Hazleton, Pa

Miss Annie K. Dieffenbach of Turbotville, Pa., performed on the piano. While she played the sweet strains of a wedding march the happy couple marched slowly into the parlor aud appeared before the Hymeneal altar. After the ceremony was completed, all repaired to the dining-room. where a bountiful repast consisting of dainties and delicacies, appropriate to the occasion, was partaken of. In the evening the newly married couple went to Bloomsburg to the home of the groom's parents to spend the honeymoon. In one week they will take a tour to Minneapolis, Minn., to visit the groom's sister, Mrs. O T. Weidman, where they will stay for one month. When they return they will make their home at Sunbury. They were the recipients of many beauriful and valuable presents.

On June 20th, 1891. at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. S. W. Sears. Mr. John E. Kishbaugh of Nescopeck, Pa. and Miss. Anna Thomas of Fishingcreek, Pa.

On July 3, 1891, at the Methodist Parsonage, by Rev. S. W. Sears. Mr. Sofarns S. Lynn and Miss Kate Fowler both of Berwick, Pa.

On June 25th. 1891, at the Methodist parsonage, by Rev. S. W. Sears. Mr. George A. Marshall and Miss Jennie Amesbury, both of Danville, Pa.

The Germ Destroyer.

In the field of discovery and invention, medicine has not kept pace with surgery. That, perhaps, is natural; service surgery is the mechanical branch of medicine. The general acceptance of the germ theory of disease however, opens a new field for medicine, and will take it completely away from the mediæval supersititions that still cling to its skirts. And yet medicine is not without its discoveries. It has long been known, and the fact is now recognized wherever the test has been made, that Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) will destroy the germs of malarial disease, the microbes of skin disease, and the bacilli of contagious and other forms of blood poisoning, ejects them from the blood, and purifies and builds up the system. No medical discovery of our day has achieved such remarkable success.

Hot Weather Vacation.

We will close our gallery on Saturday night, July 18th, for vacation. Will reopen on September 1st. Now is your chance to get first class cabinets at $1 00 per doz., before we close. Our prices may be higher after September. Remember the place, Roshon's Gallery, Main street, Bloomsburg, formerly Rosenstock's old stand.

The Harrisburg *Patriot* is hoisting the name of Hon. James Kerr, of Clearfield County as democratic candidate for state treasurer. The democrats would make no mistake should they follow this suggestion and give Mr. Kerr a unanimous nomination.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering. I will send free of charge to all who desire, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y. mar-6-1y

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G. A. MCKELVY, Bloomsburg, Pa., or
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The Soap that Cleans Most is Lenox.

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12, 14, 16, and 18 ft. narrow and wide boards; 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. plank; 2x4, 2x5, 2x6 and 2x8 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. long; 3x4, 3x5, 3x6, and 3x8, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. long; 5x6, 6x6, 6x8 and 8x8, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft. long; 200,000 ft. good shingle lath; 200000 ft. good gauged sawed plastering lath and hair; Bevel ½ and ⅝ dressed siding; rough and dressed lumber; Pine, Hemlock and Chestnut shingles; A good assortment of white Pine surface Boards 6, 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18 and 20 in. wide; Worked Flooring, Pine and Chestnut wainscoating; Pickets and Posts; ½ Car load of good White Ash lumber; Doors, Sash, Glass, Oils, Paints, Iron, Steel, wrought and Wire nails. At Silas Young's, Light Street. May 15-6-m.

FOR SALE.—A lot of ground with frame house, stable and outbuildings. Good fruit. Situate on Main street of Orangeville. Address A. B. HERRING, Orangeville, Pa. 6-19-4t.

Never mind! Never mind what the people say, it is a fact nevertheless that the Popular News Agent, has added to an already well selected stock of Games, Books Novels, &c., wall paper, beautiful designs and at very reasonable prices. Call and examine just a few doors below Market street

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Do you contemplate having a suit made? If you are, go to a practical man, where you can see the goods in the piece. Do not buy from samples as all goods look different in the piece. A fine line of goods for suits, spring overcoats and pantaloons, cut to your measure, made on our own premises, under the personal supervision of J. R. Townsend, at D. LOWENBERG'S.

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About 500 yds. of scrim we offer at 5c yd.

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Eggs per dozen			.18
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Beef, quarter, per pound			.06 to .08
Wheat per bushel			1.10
Oats	"	"	.70
Rye	"	"	.80
Buckwheat flour per 100			2.60
Wheat flour per bbl			6.80
Hay per ton			10.00 to 12.00
Potatoes per bushel			.90
Shelled corn per bushel			.85
Corn meal	"	cwt	2.00
Side meat	"	lb	.10
Chop	"	cwt	1.75
Tallow	"	lb	.04
Chickens	"	lb	.30
Turkeys	"	lb	.15½
Coal per ton, No. 6			2.2
" " " "		4 and 5	2.2

$c per ton extra, delivered.

THE DEATH CHAIR

Slocum Was the First Victim at Sing Sing.

KILLED AT AN EARLY HOUR

The First Man to Share Kemmler's Fate.

The Ex-Baseball Player Done to Death in the Early Morning—A Report That All the Other Murderers Were Also Executed by Electricity Immediately After Slocum Paid the Death Penalty.

SING SING, N. Y., July 7.—Slocum was the first of the condemned murderers to be put to death. He was electrocuted at 4:42 a. m.

It is claimed that Joseph Wood, Harris A. Smiler and Schihiok Jugiro were also killed by electricity in the order named after Slocum died.

SING SING, July 7.—The second victim was Smiler and the time 5:13 a. m.

SING SING, N. Y., July 7.—It is now believed that the four condemned men will die today some time. At 12:05 the warden had a long talk with the United Press correspondent in front of the prison.

"The men are all awake," he said. "I was just down to see them. They are very quiet, but they evidently know that something is coming."

Mr. Brown denied that Deputy Attorney General Hogan had brought any papers of an official character with him. "He brought himself and nothing else," said he. "The death warrants came here at the time the men were last resentenced. Let me see. That was June 2, I think. I have had them in my safe ever since."

All Four Would Die.

Mr. Brown said that no papers had been served on him in the Wood case. He said he had the opinion of the attorney general on the appeal put forward by Wood's lawyer as a claim for a stay of execution. He could not say what it was, but he said: "If no other papers are served on me before the execution you can say that all four men will be executed." This would seem to dispose of Wood's last hope.

WARDEN BROWN.

The Witnesses Do Not Know.

The warden said that most of the witnesses were asleep. "They are like you," he said. "They would like to know when this thing is going to take place; but they do not know any more about it than you do. There is no one knows when it is going to occur but me." The warden said that he did not know whether he would get any sleep or not. He has not had any sleep since Saturday night. The guard over the condemned men remains unchanged. Partridge and Baxter, who have kept the night watch for many months, were on duty in the condemned cells last night. They know nothing of the time set for the execution. Father Creedon and Father Lynch were in the prison at midnight as was Mr. Edgerton, the prison chaplain. They will join the condemned some time before the hour set for the execution. They will probably be the first to know what the hour is.

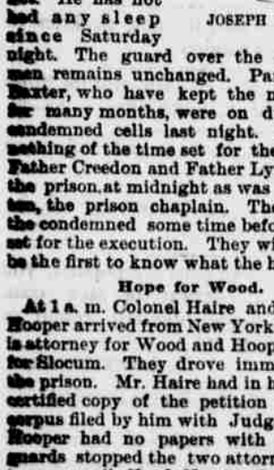
JOSEPH WOOD.

Hope for Wood.

At 1 a. m. Colonel Haire and George C. Hooper arrived from New York city. Haire is attorney for Wood and Hooper attorney for Slocum. They drove immediately to the prison. Mr. Haire had in his pocket a certified copy of the petition for habeas corpus filed by him with Judge Lacombe. Hooper had no papers with him. The guards stopped the two attorneys at the terrace until Head Keeper Connaughton came forward and gave Mr. Haire permission to enter and interview the warden. Haire soon left the building to find a notary public for the purpose of swearing to some paper to be filed with the warden in support of his claim for a stay. The warden refused to make any statement until Haire's return.

The Witnesses at the Killing.

Twenty-two persons who will be present at the first killing were in Sing Sing prison last night. They were Dr. Carlos F. McDonald, president of the state board of charities; Professor L. H. Landy, of Columbia college, an eminent nerve specialist; Dr. Alphonso D. Rockwell, therapeutical expert, of Buffalo; Dr. Franklin Townsend, an eminent practitioner, of Albany; Dr. Samuel B. Ward, of Albany, formerly Grover Cleveland's physician; Dr. R. H. Southwick, the Buffalo dentist, who is the father of the law under which the killing will be done; Dr. Charles E. Daniels, of Buffalo, the post mortem examiner, who directed the autopsy on Kemmler's body; Deputy Attorney General Hogan, who will directly represent the state; Dr. Hiram Baker, of Sing Sing; Warden Charles Durston, of Auburn prison; Father John B. Creedon and the Rev. Silas W. Edgerton, prison chaplains; Father Hogan, assistant pastor of St. Augustine's church; Electrician E. F. Davis, who will control the plant on the fatal hour; Warden William T. Brown, of Sing Sing prison, and seven deputies chosen from among the guards of the prison.



DEATH CHAIR.

The brutal animal instincts that led Jugiro to murder Muri Commi have been awakened and he swears that he will never go to the chair, but will kill himself. When trying to place him in a barber's chair to shave him he fought so that it had to be given up. It is thought he will try to kill the guards who take him. He thinks he is to be placed in the chair and torn to pieces. He has been brooding over the pictures in a magazine for a week and wherever a chair appears he has turned a leaf down.

He May Try Murder.

Some time ago Jugiro was taken to the barber to have his hair cut. He did not want to go. When the guard went in Jugiro fell upon him. Other guards came to the assistance of their companion. Then a battle began that showed how powerful Jugiro is. He threw the guards right and left. They used their clubs, but that did not quiet him. It took a dozen men to hold him until shackles were put on. Since then Jugiro has been morose and quarrelsome.

Certain officials of the prison say that Jugiro will try to kill the man who enters the cell to take him out.

Troubles of the Reporters.

From midnight until the warden arrived the newspaper men were permitted to occupy the iron steps of the prison and the prison office. His son was in charge during that time. When the warden reached town himself he came at once to the jail. Five minutes after he had got inside Principal Keeper Connaughton came out, and in an apologizing way began to point out the beauties of the site across the street on the grass or the stone wall. Then the men with Winchesters came out and relieved the guards, who had been on duty all night. From that time on the street was closed to the newspaper men. If a man stepped toward the middle of the street a rifle was pointed at him and he was ordered to "Go back! Go back!"

SLOCUM.

The guards were impudent. One named Mahr, who comes from Newburg, the town where the warden comes from, in reply to a civil question asked by a man who had the right to the information he desired, said:

"That's none of your business. Go back there. Ain't you got orders to keep off of here?"

The Warden Criticised.

The warden's interpretation of the law is receiving a good deal of comment just now. He assumes that because the law contains a clause that the papers shall not print facts, it is his duty to prevent them from getting the facts. His duty, he thinks, makes him a press dictator. He has even gone so far as to say he will not make public the names of the witnesses after the execution is over.

This means that he assumes he has the right to take human life and make every one take his word without any corroboration that it was done in a legal way.

The placing of his men with Winchester rifles to shoot down men who are doing their duty in a place where they have a right with every other citizen of the state to be caps the climax.

Conduct of the Murderers.

The day saw little difference in the bearing of the condemned men. They understand, or at least three of them, Wood, Smiler and Slocum do, that this is the first day of their last week of life, and they know that probably the grim scene in the wooden death chamber is but a few hours away. Yet their demeanor is not perceptibly changed.

Possibly they are a little more religiously inclined, but for the last few days all of them except the stalwart and stubborn Jap have given little heed to other things than their preparation for that one supreme instant before oblivion overtakes them. Of the three men who are ready for the coming of the mysterious bolt of death, Wood, the negro, is best prepared and is most confident. The religion which he professes seems to be real. It has not the false ring which marks so many of the professed conversions under such distressing circumstances. The sure coming of death at a specified time seems not to have been the great influencing motive in Wood's profession.

SMILER.

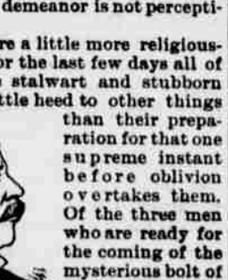
He seems to have embraced religion willingly and gladly at the very first opportunity. So the time at which he shall be called from his cell and asked to walk through that iron doorway to his death matters not much to Wood.

In Self Defense.

It is worthy of comment that he doesn't cease to proclaim himself innocent of the frightful charge of murder. He maintains as stoutly as ever that the killing of the Italian Ruffi was done in self defense. And there are not a few men here who believe him.

Thinks It Will Be a Failure.

N. B. Nostrand, superintendent of the electric lighting companies of both Sing Sing and Peekskill, has tried several times to have things arranged so that he can be present at the killing of the four men. He is an expert electrician, and has made a study of the effect of electricity on human beings. He wanted to get into the prison as a scientist, but he will not be admitted. He has examined the entire electrical plant in Sing Sing prison.



JUGIRO.

"The boilers and engine are more powerful than those in use at Auburn," said Mr. Nostrand. "The dynamo is a perfect apparatus. It will generate 2,000 volts, and 2,000 volts will be shot into the men who sit in the chair. I do not think the killing will be a success.

"It is almost impossible to get a perfect contact. The sponges will be dried and possibly burned. I do not think death will be instantaneous in every case. If any one man has a weak heart and gets excited the chances are that he will die at the first shock. With the strong men—Jugiro and Wood—it will be different. They will not die easily. The electric current will have to be applied longer to them, and I believe trouble may be expected."

Mr. Nostrand says that no one directly connected with an electric lighting company will be a witness to the killing.

THE CRIMES OF THE MEN.

Two Were Wife Slayers, Wood Killed an Italian, and Jugiro a Japanese.

NEW YORK, July 7.—James J. Slocum is an ex-baseball player. He lived at No. 7 Cherry street. On the last night of December, 1889, he killed his wife with an ax. He was tried, convicted, and in March of last year he was sentenced to death by Judge Martine. He was to be executed in the week beginning May 6, 1890. John B. Heinzelman, who defended him, had never been admitted to the bar, and a stay was secured on the ground of illegal defense.

Harris A. Smiler was formerly a Salvation Army officer and had no less than three wives. When one of them, Maggie Drainey, refused to live with him, because of his brutality, he shot her. This was April 13, 1879, at 284 Seventh avenue. The week originally set for his execution began April 4, 1880, but his lawyer, Ambrose H. Purdy, appealed and several stays were granted.

Joseph Wood, the condemned negro, was a laborer on the new Croton aqueduct. In May, 1889, he killed an Italian named Carlo Ruffi, a fellow workman, in a payday row.

In March 1890, Recorder Smyth sentenced him to be executed in the week beginning May 12 of last year. Robert J. Haire carried his case to the court of appeals and the supreme court, but with no success. The ground on which the appeals were based were that no colored men were on the jury.

Shibuya Jugiro, better known as "the Jap," because of his nationality, got into a row in a James street sailors' boarding house. He stabbed Mura Canni, one of the combatants.

In December last he was sentenced to die in the week beginning Feb. 3. Lawyer Heinzelman, who also had charge of his case, took an appeal, and the conviction was affirmed by the court of appeals.

The case was then taken to the United States supreme court, which also affirmed the original decision.

DREW ASKED TO RESIGN.

The Examiner Says His Bad Mistake Was Clearly an Accident.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—Controller Lacey has written to Bank Examiner Drew requesting his resignation. No reply has been received from Drew. The correspondence between Controller Lacey and Drew has been made public. Under date of June 29 the controller asked Drew to explain why he had omitted to state in his report of Jan. 24, 1891, that the Keystone bank owed the clearing house $544,851.46, said indebtedness being secured by pledge of its notes and bills amounting to $729,308.93, which assets were then held by the clearing house committee and were not in the custody of the bank.

The following day Drew replied: "I was confounded at the amission, and I can account for it only that, purposely not including it in the report, I intended to include and explain it in my letter, which, it appears, I failed to do, although the memoranda for my letter contained reference to the subject. In my later reports it was not omitted. The omission was clearly an accident, but was no less calculated greatly to mislead. As stated in my letter of transmittal the report was informal and incomplete in many respects, owing to the fact that many of the accounts were then, and for some time afterward, undergoing verification, but notwithstanding these embarrassments the omission referred to should not have occurred, and would not have occurred except by accident as stated. I need not add how greatly I regret the inadvertence."

On July 2 Controller Lacey said he had placed the matter before Secretary Foster. He adds: "As a result the conclusion was reached that so important an omission, after fifteen days' investigation of the bank, is not consistent with the confidence which must necessarily be reposed by the department in the reports of those appointed to make examination of national banks. By direction of the secretary I have therefore to request that you forward to this office your resignation as an examiner of national banks. I cannot close this communication without assuring you of my sincere regret that anything should have occurred which would render necessary the severing of your official relations with this bureau."

WEDDING BELLS AT WINDSOR.

Brilliant Marriage of Princess Louise and Prince Aribert.

LONDON, July 7.—The wedding of the Princess Louise was one of the most magnificent spectacles ever witnessed in Windsor. Multitudes from London and other places packed the town, and St. George's chapel was choked with the wedding guests, their brilliant attire presenting a scene of splendor unequaled since the marriage of the late Prince Leopold in 1882. Guards of honor were mounted at the castle and at the chapel, and the route down Castle Hill was lined with guards.

Frederic Louis Ritter Dead.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., July 7.—A cablegram was received here last night announcing the sudden death of Mr. Frederic Louis Ritter, well known on both sides of the Atlantic as a composer and writer on musical topics, which occurred July 6 at Antwerp. He came to America in 1856. He was appointed professor of music at Vassar college the same year, and since 1874 he has resided in this city.

Dr. Spurgeon Slightly Better.

LONDON, July 7.—The Rev. Dr. Spurgeon is slightly better.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, July 6.—FLOUR—Firmer, with a little more doing; fine, $3.25@3.85; superfine, $3.65@4.30; Minnesota extra, $3.80@5.50; city mill extras, $5@5.15 for West Indies.

WHEAT—Opened weak at 1½c. decline, and fell ¼c. more in the early trading. The market subsequently rallied to the opening prices; receipts, 435,700 bushels; shipments, 221,639 bushels; No. 2 red winter, $1.04, cash; do., July, $1.01½; do., August, 98¾c.; do., September, 95¾c.

CORN—Opened weak and ¾c. lower, subsequently rallied and advanced 1c. before noon; receipts, 158,250 bushels; shipments, 132,787 bushels; No. 2 mixed, 70½c., cash; do., July, 66¼c.; do., August, 63¼c.; do., September, 60⅝c.

OATS—Dull, but steady; receipts, 48,400 bushels; shipments, 379 bushels; No. 2 mixed, 40¼c., cash and July; do., August, 36¾c.

PORK—Dull; mess, $11.50@12.25, for new.

LARD—Quiet; July, $6.62; August, $6.65.

MOLASSES—Quiet; domestic grades at 25@35c. for good to fancy.

TURPENTINE—Dull, but steady, at 37½@38c.

FREIGHTS—Fairly active and firm; grain to Liverpool, 2d.

BUTTER—Dull; state creamery, tubs, extra, 18½c.; western, extra, 18c.

CHEESE—Easier, with light offerings; Ohio flat, 5½@7½c.

SUGAR—Refined quiet; cut loaf and crushed, 5⅝c.; granulated, 4⅝@4¾c.; mold A, 4¼c.

TALLOW—Dull; prime city, 4¾c.

COFFEE—Spot lots quiet; fair Rio, 19¼c.

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KEYSTONE STATE NEWS.

Items Which Are of Particular Interest to Pennsylvanians.

IN THIS AND NEARBY COUNTIES.

Brief Mention of Matters Which Everybody Should Know About—A Week's Accidents and Crimes Accurately and Concisely Chronicled.

PHILADELPHIA, June 30.—Judge Butler has filed an opinion that the balance held by the centennial board of finance should be distributed among the stockholders. The fund amounts to $13,101.61, and as there are 13,915 stockholders widely scattered the dividend will amount to but two or three cents a share to each. It had been proposed to donate the fund either to the Pennsylvania museum or the Historical society.

Burned in an Oil Explosion.

PITTSBURG, June 30.—An explosion at the Forest Oil company's well at Corapolis completely wrecked the derrick and boilerhouse and terribly burned two oil drillers named Winger.

He Robbed His Fiance.

NEW CASTLE, July 1.—Miss Emma Brumter stepped from a Pittsburg and Lake Erie train at New Castle Junction very disconsolate. She had promised to marry Lewis Richardson, and had started with him to go to Pittsburg, where they were to be married. Richardson stole her pocketbook, rings and watch, and left the train near Youngstown. Her pocketbook contained all her money, about $100.

Three Hundred Workmen Thrown Out.

HUNTINGTON, July 1.—The big Huntington Manufacturing company, controlled by the Iron Car Equipment company, of New York, has indefinitely suspended operations. Three hundred men are thrown out of employment. It is rumored that the plant will be removed to Tennessee.

Fifty-eight Went Back.

PHILADELPHIA, July 1.—Dobson's plush mills were started up and fifty-eight weavers resumed work. The number returning to work is small compared with the 408 who went out. The strikers held a meeting and resolved to remain out until their original object is secured.

Seminary Building in Flames.

LANCASTER, July 1.—The Cedar Hill seminary buildings, Mount Joy, were burned Tuesday.

They Signed at Last.

PITTSBURG, July 1.—After a conference, which ended after midnight, the iron manufacturers' committee of the western district signed the western iron scales of the Amalgamated association for the year, which begins today.

One Thousand Men Strike.

POTTSVILLE, July 1.—The 1,000 employes at the Pottsville Steel and Iron company's works struck at midnight because William Atkins, president of the company, refused to sign the western scale of wages.

The Wrecked Spring Garden Bank.

PHILADELPHIA, July 2.—General Fisher, the receiver of the Spring Garden National bank, says that the estimate made by him some time ago that the assets of the institution would pay upward of 50 per cent., appears to be well founded.

Out at Norristown.

NORRISTOWN, July 2.—The puddlers and heaters employed in the rolling mills of James Hooven have struck on account of his refusal to sign the Amalgamated association scale.

Bunced Out of $3,000.

GREENVILLE, July 2.—Mr. William Mizener, a wealthy farmer of West Salem township, has been bunced out of $3,000 by two confidence men, who succeeded in getting him to play three card monte.

Found Dead in the Park.

PHILADELPHIA, July 2.—Samson Simon, of the firm of Simon Bros. & Co., extensive cloak manufacturers of 624 Market street, was found dead in Fairmount park. His death is supposed to have been caused by heart disease.

Pennsylvania's World Fair Plans.

HARRISBURG, July 2.—Edwin H. Williams has been appointed to serve on the World's fair commission by Governor Pattison in place of George Burnham, of Philadelphia, who declined the appointment. An organization has been effected by the commission by the election of Governor Pattison as president; Lieutenant Governor Waters, vice president; R. E. Wright, Allentown, secretary, and John Mundell, Philadelphia, treasurer. The style of the building to be erected was discussed, but no action was taken.

He Shot the Foreman.

SHAMOKIN, July 3.—A newsboy fatally injured Foreman Charles Fowler, of The Daily Dispatch, by accidentally discharging a revolver.

Still Fighting the Clothiers.

PITTSBURG, July 3.—James Hughes, of the Garment Cutters' union, Rochester, N. Y., was in Pittsburg several days this week. The object of his visit seems to have been to get the Pittsburg clothing houses to withdraw their patronage from the Rochester clothing firms. All of the Pittsburg clothiers admit having seen Hughes.

An Insane Mother's Crime.

PITTSBURG, July 6.—Mrs. Harry Mimmer, of the South Side, while laboring under an attack of religious insanity, attempted to kill her eight-month-old babe by hitting it on the head with a hatchet. Mrs. Mimmer says her child was a second Christ and it was her duty to kill it. The baby cannot live.

Bardsley Is Writing Something.

PHILADELPHIA, July 6.—Since ex-Treasurer Bardsley's sentence he spends many hours in writing, but the prison officials have no idea of the nature of the subject which is being treated by his pen. He appears to employ much time and give great care to revising, and it is surmised that he has in preparation a supplemental statement for the public.

Monuments Dedicated.

GETTYSBURG, July 6.—The monument recently erected by the Seventy-second regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, in the "Bloody Angle" has been dedicated. Captain John Reed presided at the ceremonies. The monument of Martin's Sixth Independent New York battery, horse artillery, was also dedicated. Captain J. W. Martin, of Rahway, N. J., delivered the opening address.

Almost Beaten to Death.

ERIE, July 6.—Mr. Henry D. Young, a well known business man of this city and a Grand Army man, attended a picnic and while on his way home was attacked and beaten almost to death and robbed. He was found late in the night and rallied sufficiently to relate his story, but his recovery is not expected.

THE BIRTH OF TOMBSTONE.

How the Arizona Town Came to Get Its Extraordinary Name.

When the late Mathew Arnold was in this country he took exceptions, among other things, to the names of our cities. So did Historian Froude. They said we went to the classics and outraged history for cognomens to designate dugouts and "boom" towns. Their cultured souls were affected.

But they never heard of Tombstone, Arizona. That is an American name. The effete cast would never have thought of such an appropriation. How did it come by the funereal title? This is a question that is asked almost every time the town is mentioned and but few are able to answer.

Conjectures, and they are many, are put to rest under a tombstone, it might be said, by the aid of Mr. C. C. Warner, of the Contention mine, Tombstone, who agreed to relate to a reporter yesterday how it received its Western name. Mr. Warner has been in Tombstone almost since its inception and passed through Denver yesterday on his return from Canon City.

"It's quite as simple and natural as the name is strange and queer how it received its christening," he said. "There were two brothers—one, and probably both, living yet—by the name of Al. and Ed. Schieflien. (You will observe that there is a connection between the names and the town—shuffling off the mortal coil and then the Tombstone.) Well, it's not often that I perpetrate a joke, but this Colorado air makes a fellow do many strange things. But I am wandering. The Schefliens were, of course, prospectors, and kept hanging about there for some time without doing much. The Apache Indians were around pretty thick. Finally one day Ed. Scheflien prepared to start out on a prospecting tour up the gulch. His brother tried to persuade him to abandon his project, pointing out that the Indians would devour him or that he would get lost in the ravine; but all to no purpose. Just as he was about to start he told his brother to look after a piece of rock that he had found near the camp.

"'Yes, I will use it for your tombstone,' said Al. sadly, and away went the more go ahead brother.

"Time passed, but there were no tidings of the foolhardy brother. Weeks went and he did not put in an appearance. The brother, true to his promise, proceeded to carve in rude letters in the quartz rock an inscription which ran:

SACRED TO THE MEMORY
OF
ED. SCHEFLIEN.
He went prospecting to a
new country.

"The brother was sorry for the loss, but then he had warned him and it could not be helped. The Indians had scalped him.

"About a week after he had finished his job and put it in front of the tent, in jumped the brother, wild looking, but beaming with joy.

"'Shake, old man, I have found it,' he said to the stay at home; 'it's lying all around.' He then began to empty his pockets of the glittering quartz that he had taken to prove his statement. And it was so.

"Away up in the gulch he had found one of the richest mining grounds in the territory. But he was always a peculiar cuss, this Ed. He and his brother and a man named Gurd started out for the place with supplies and tools. He named this mine the Toughnut because he had found it pretty hard after he had discovered it. There were times when he would have sold it for a drink of water. The next one they discovered they called the Goodenough mine. When they came to the next one they had a little falling out, and he named it the Contention. The latter is the one I am interested in. These were all disposed of by him for a handsome sum. And he is now a three times millionaire.

"The tombstone is one of his choicest relics, and he would not part with it for its weight in gold. Many attempts have been made to change the town by 'boomers,' who argue that the strange and gruesome title keeps out Eastern capital, and by the new comers. Legislators have been elected pledged to introduce a bill for that purpose, but Ed. with his money is always on hand to oppose it."—[Denver Republican.

An Old New Orleans Custom.

If you have plenty time to loaf and observe everything that passes before your gaze you will notice on nearly every post in the French quarters there are little handbills tacked up and bearing the heading "Decede." Beneath this there is additional printing, all, however, in French. These are death notices, which seemed to be used instead of the newspapers to announce the invincible hand of atra Mors. They state the hour of the funeral, etc., and the name of the deceased. As a general thing these notices are tacked up all over the French section in an hour after the person has died. I noticed several upon which the printers' ink had scarcely dried, and which announced the demise of some unfortunate which had taken place only a few minutes before.

Gray Hair Coming in Style.

There is a rumor that in the coming season gray hair will be de rigueur for those desirous of treading closely in the footsteps of fashion. Black, red, and gold are to be entirely superseded by the grizzly shade, and hair restorers which, being absolutely colorless, undertake to "restore" the natural shade of fading tresses will for the time be things of the past. I find, however, that this report is not looked on with favor by hairdressers, who, in spite of the fact that powdered hair usually lends beauty to the plainest face, declare that gray locks are particularly unbecoming.—[Paris Letter to Philadelphia Telegraph.

After we have called a man a fool it always pleases us to have him get mad and prove it.—[Binghamton Republican.

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PHILIP MONGEON.

25 PROSPECT ST., NEWARK, N. J., March 2, 1891.

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	ASSETS.
Ætna Fire Ins. Co., of Hartford,	$9,528,388 97
Hartford, of Hartford,	5,288,609 9[illegible]
Phœnix, of Hartford,	4,778,469 1[illegible]
Springfield, of Springfield,	3,099 903.9[illegible]
Fire Association, Phila.,	4,512,782.29
Guardian, of London,	20,603,323.7[illegible]
Phœnix, of London,	6,924,563.48
Lancashire, of England, (U. S. Branch)	1,642,195.0[illegible]
Royal, of England, (U. S. Branch)	4,853,564.0[illegible]
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	ASSETS.
Imperial, of London,	$9,658,477.00
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Trains leave Bloomsburg as follows: (Sundays excepted.)

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading, Pottsville, Tamsqua, etc., 6.10, 11.25 a. m.

For Williamsport, 8.00 a. m., 3.15 p. m.

For Danville and Milton, 8.00 a. m., 3.15, 11.05 p. m.

For Catawissa 6.10, 8.00, 11.25 a. m., 12.15, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.

For Rupert 6.10, 8.20, 11.25 a. m., 12.15, 3.15, 5.00, 6.30, 11.05 p. m.

Trains for Bloomsburg

Leave New York via of Philadelphia 7.45 a. m., 4.00 p. m. and via Easton 8.45 a. m., 4.00 p. m

Leave Philadelphia 10.00 a. m., 6.00 p. m.

Leave Reading 11.50 a. m. 7.57 p. m.

Leave Pottsville 12.30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.21 a. m., 9.18 p. m.

Leave Williamsport 9.45 a. m., 4.30 p. m.

Leave Catawissa 7.00, 8.20 a. m. 1.30, 3.19, 6.10 11.10 p. m.

Leave Rupert 6.23, 7.08, 8.27, 11.39 a. m., 1.37, 3.27, 6.18, 11.19 p. m.

For Baltimore, Washington and the West via B. & O. R. R., through trains leave Girard Avenue Station, Phila. (P. & R. R. R.) 4.16, 8.01, 11.27 a. m., 1.34, 4.24, 5.55 7.23 p. m. Sundays 4.16, 8.02, 11.27 a. m., 4.24, 5.55, 7.23 p. m.

ATLANTIC CITY DIVISION.

Leave Philadelphia, Pier 7, Chestnut street Wharf, and South Street Wharf.

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Week days—Express, 9. a. m., 2.00, 4.00 p. m. Accommodation, 9.00 a. m., 5.00 p. m.

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Returning, Leave Atlantic City.

Depot corner Atlantic and Arkansas Avenues: Weeks days—Express, 7.30, 9.00 a. m. and 4.00 p. m. Accommodation, 8.05 a. m. and 4 30 p. m Sunday—Express, 4.00, p. m. Accommodation 7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

DELAWARE LACKAWANNA & WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

STATIONS.	NORTH. P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	6.30	1 50	10 05	5 40
Cameron	9 35	...	...	5 20
Chulasky	6 40	...	...	5 30
Danville	6 48	2 12	10 26	6 05
Catawissa	7 05	2 26	10 39	6 19
Rupert	7 12	2 31	10 44	6 25
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 36	10 49	6 30
Espy	7 27	2 43	.....	6 35
Lime Ridge	7 34	2 50	.....	6 42
Willow Grove	7 38	2 54	.....	6 46
Briarcreek	7 41	...	...	6 49
Berwick	7 48	3 04	11 18	6 56
Beach Haven	7 54	3 10	11 18	7 02
Hick's Ferry	8 00	3 17	...	7 10
Shickshinny	8 10	3 29	11 35	7 19
Hunlock's	8 21	3 39	.....	7 30
Nanticoke	8 26	3 46	11 49	7 36
Avondale	8 30	3 51	...	7 40
Plymouth	8 31	3 56	11 56	7 42
Plymouth Junction	8 40	4 00	...	7 46
Kingston	8 45	4 05	12 05	7 50
Bennett	8 49	4 08	12 05	7 54
Maltby	8 52	4 12	.....	8 00
Wyoming	8 56	4 17	12 13	8 04
West Pittston	9 01	4 22	.....	8 09
Pittston	9 08	4 30	12 22	8 16
Duryea	9 12	4 34	.....	8 20
Lackawanna	9 16	4 37	.....	8 23
Taylorville	9 25	4 45	12 35	8 30
Bellevue	9 31	4 50	.....	8 35
SCRANTON	9 35	4 55	12 45	8 40
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

STATIONS.	SOUTH. A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
SCRANTON	6 00	9 50	1 35	5 40
Bellevue	6 05	9 55	.....	.....
Taylorville	6 10	10 00	1 43	5 46
Lackawanna	6 18	10 07	1 52	.....
Duryea	6 22	10 10	1 55	5 53
Pittston	6 28	10 14	2 00	6 01
West Pittston	6 35	10 20	2 06	6 12
Wyoming	6 40	10 25	2 11	6 20
Maltby	6 44	10 28	...	...
Bennett	6 48	10 32	2 19	6 29
Kingston	6 54	10 35	2 25	6 45
Plymouth Junction	6 59	10 39	2 29	.....
Plymouth	7 04	10 44	2 34	6 58
Avondale	7 09	10 48	2 38	6 58
Nanticoke	7 14	10 52	2 42	7 06
Hunlock's	7 20	11 00	2 50	7 15
Shickshinny	7 31	11 09	3 01	7 29
Hick's Ferry	7 44	11 23	3 17	7 39
Beach Haven	7 54	11 32	3 25	7 49
Berwick	8 02	11 40	3 33	7 49
Briar Creek	8 09	....	3 40	.....
Willow Grove	8 13	11 10	3 44	7 57
Lime Ridge	8 17	11 56	3 50	8 05
Espy	8 24	12 04	3 58	8 09
Bloomsburg	8 31	12 12	4 05	8 12
Rupert	8 37	12 18	4 12	8 17
Catawissa	8 42	12 23	4 18	8 22
Danville	8 57	12 37	4 28	8 35
Chulasky	9 03	.....	4 48	...
Cameron	9 07	12 46	4 51	.....
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 22	1 00	5 05	8 37
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

Connections at Rupert with Philadelphia & Reading Railroad for Tamanend, Tamaqua, Williamsport, Sunbury, Pottsville, etc. At Northumberland with P. & E. Div. P. R. R. for Harrisburg, Lock Haven, Emporium, Warren, Corry and Erie.

W. F. HALLSTEAD, Gen. Man., Scranton, Pa.

Pennsylvania Railroad.

P. & E. R. R. DIV. AND N. C. RY

In effect Dec. 14, 1890. Trains leave Sunday

EASTWARD.

9:55 a. m. Train 14 (Daily except Sunday) to Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 3:15 p. m.; New York 5:50 p. m.; Baltimore, 3:10 p. m.; Washington 5:55 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia Baltimore.

1:50 p. m. Train 8, (Daily except Sunday,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.; New York, 9:25 p. m.; Baltimore 6:45 p. m.; Washington 8:15 p. m. Parlor cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

5.25 p. m. Train 18 (Daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 10:55 p. m. Baltimore 10:40 p. m.

8:08 p. m.—Train 6, (Daily,) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:25 a. m.; New York 7:10 a. m. Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1:50 a. m.—(Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 a. m., New York 9:30 a. m., Baltimore 6:20 a. m., Washington 7:20 a. m., Pullman sleeping cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

3:25 a. m.—Train 16 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 9:10 a. m. and Washington 9:55 a. m. and Pullman sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington, and Passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

2:04 a. m.—Train 9 (Daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches to Rochester.

3:10 a. m.—Train 3 (Daily,) for Erie Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman palace cars and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9:56—Train 15 (Daily,) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1:42 p. m.—Train 11 (Daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Rochester.

5:30 p. m.—Train 1, (Daily except Sunday) for Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations.

8:5 4p. m.—Train 21 (Daily,) for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 15—Leaves New York, 12:15 night, Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., Baltimore 4:45 a. m., Harrisburg, 8:10 a. m., daily arriving at Sunbury 9:25 a. m.

Train 11—Leaves Philadelphia 8:50 a. m., Washington 8:10 a. m., Baltimore 9:00 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1:35 with Parlor car from Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 1—Leaves New York 9:00 a. m., Philadelphia 11:40 a. m., Washington 10:50 a. m., Baltimore 11:45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 5:30 p. m. with passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 21 leaves New York 2.00 p. m., Philadelphia 4:25 p. m., Washington 3:30 p. m., Baltimore 4:32 p. m. (Daily) arriving at Sunbury 8:54 p. m.

Train 9 leaves New York 6:30 p. m., Philadelphia 9:20 p. m., Washington 7:40 p. m., Baltimore 8:45 p. m., (Daily except Saturday,) arriving at Sunbury, 2:04 a. m. with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches from Washington and Baltimore.

Train 3 leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:25 p. m., Washington 10:00 p. m., Baltimore 11:20 p. m., (Daily,) arriving at Sunbury 5:10 a. m., with Pullman sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore

SUNBURY HAZLETON, & WILKESBARRE RAILROAD, AND NORTH AND WEST BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Daily except Sunday)

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10:00 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes Barre 12.10 p. m

Train 11 leaves Sunbury 5:35 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:26 p. m., Wilkes-Barre 7:50 p. m. Hazleton 7:56 p. m.

Train 8 leaves Wilkes-Barre 11:17 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 12:37 p. m., Sunbury 1:25 p. m.

Train 10 leaves Hazleton 3:04 p. m. Wilkes-Barre 3:12 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 4:31 p. m., Sunbury 5:15 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10.00 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 12:10 a. m.

Train 26 leaves Wilkes-Barre 5:10 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:39 p. m., Sunbury 7:30 p. m.

CH'S E. PUGH, Gen. Manager. J. R. WOOD, Gen. Pass. Agt

BLOOMSBURG & SULLIVAN R. R.

Taking effect MONDAY, NOV. 17, 1890.

STATIONS.	SOUTH. Ar. P. M.	Ar. P. M.	Ar. A. M.	Lv. A. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv P. M.
Bloomsburg	6 28	12 10	7 15	8 35	2 35	6 40
Main Street	6 18	12 04	7 07	8 42	2 42	6 47
Irondale	6 16	12 00	7 04	8 45	2 45	6 50
Paper Mill	6 08	11 52	6 56	8 53	2 53	6 5
Lightstreet	6 05	11 49	6 53	8 56	2 56	7 12
Orangeville	5 57	11 38	6 43	9 08	3 07	7 23
Forks	5 45	11 27	6 33	9 15	3 17	7 30
Zarer's	5 42	11 24	6 30	9 20	3 20	7 34
Stillwater	5 37	11 19	6 25	9 27	3 25	7 39
Benton	5 28	11 09	6 16	9 37	3 33	7 39
Edeona	5 23	11 04	6 11	9 41	3 38	7 44
Coles Creek	5 20	11 02	6 09	9 44	3 42	7 48
Sugarleaf	5 16	11 57	6 03	9 48	3 46	7 52
Laubachs	5 12	10 54	6 00	9 53	3 50	7 57
Central	5 08	10 43	5 58	10 03	4 00	8 07
Jamison City	5 00	10 40	5 50

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A lunch supper will be given, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Lutheran Church, in the Stroup house, on Main street, Friday and Saturday evenings, July 17th and 18th. Price 15 cents; ice cream and cake extra. Hours from 5 to 10 p. m. All are invited.

Hon. John B. Packer, of Sunbury, died suddenly at his home in that place on Tuesday night. He was a prominent attorney, and President of the Sunbury National Bank. His wife was a daughter of the late William Cameron and a sister of Mrs. Dr. F. C. Harrison, formerly of Bloomsburg. Mr. Packer served in the State Legislature, and was in Congress for several terms.

Horse Killed.

Frank Chromis, of Bloomsburg, drove to this place on the Fourth to visit his brother-in-law A. B. Pifer, the Penn'a R. R. agent here. The horse was put in the barn, and a short time afterwards the cow attempted to pass to get to her stall, when the animal, which was a vicious one, began kicking at her, and in trying to get away she got her head under him and gored him so badly in the abdomen that the entrals protruded. A veterinary surgeon was summoned from Bloomsburg, but by the time he arrived the only thing to do was to put the animal out of misery which was promptly done by knocking him in the head with an axe.—*Catawissa Item.*

Constitutional Convention.

The bill providing for a constitutional convention, provides that the question of holding a constitutional convention shall be decided by the voters of the Commonwealth at the November election, at which time delegates to the proposed convention shall be elected. One hundred and seventy-seven members are to be elected, 27 at large, each voter to vote for not more than eighteen candidates and the 27 highest in vote shall be declared elected; 150 delegates shall be elected from the different Senatorial districts, three to be elected for each Senator, no voter voting for more than two. Fifteen days after the election the Governor shall issue a proclamation declaring the result of the election and the names of the delegates chosen. On the first Tuesday of December next, the convention will be called to order in the hall of the House of Representatives by the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

POULTRY NOTES.

No. 22.

Carelessness means disease—death.

Carefulness and carelessness is the difference between having and not having.

The careful man is the successful man, and is implies care for small matters as well as large.

Watch the markets, and dispose of all chicks from one and one half to two pounds as early as possible, don't wait till they get larger, as the price will fall and you will not get the best price.

Chickens pay better than cows, and with less work; you can test the matter by investing the same amount in each, and keep accurate record of the debt and credit of both, and the poultry will have the preference.

And to have the best success you must select the best breeds, and by giving the same care and attention to the one as the other, you will decide in favor of the chickens every time. It has been tried here in Millville with the above result.

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BRIEF MENTION OF NEWS

Happenings of the World from Pole to Pole.

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The Developments of Each Day During the Week Caught Fresh from the Busy Wires and Carefully Edited and Condensed for Our Readers.

A stage load of young men from Newark was struck by an Erie train at a crossing in Passaic. Thomas Hart, twenty-one years old, was killed, and several others were injured.

At New York a Second avenue horse car ran down two merchants. One was killed outright and the other seriously injured.

J. D. Shaw, editor of the Bishopsville Eagle, was stabbed to death at Telly's Ferry, S. C., by Dallas Kelly in a row at a picnic.

The Fourth was celebrated at Chautauqua Assembly grounds, Beatrice, Neb., by an attendance of 30,000 people. Ex-President Hayes addressed a large audience.

John E. Godine, of New York, was seized with cramps, while bathing at Asbury Park, N. J. He was unconscious when John Logan, a life saver, succeeded in bringing him to the beach.

San Francisco loses $100,000 by Fourth of July fires, including the Centennary Methodist Episcopal church.

Sheriff Robinson, of Scranton, Pa., was mortally injured by an exploding giant firecracker Saturday night.

Galveston, Tex, is flooded along the waterfront, and the shipping there suffered severely from a terrific storm yesterday.

"Steve" Daley, the instructor in athletics at Trinity college, Hartford, who shot and killed John P. McCarthy June 22, has been held in $10,000 for trial on a charge of murder in the second degree.

The storehouse of the John P. Lovell's Arms company, on Wharf street, East Weymouth, Mass., was destroyed by fire. The loss on building and contents is estimated at $35,000; insurance, $14,000.

The hailstorm which prevailed at Lancaster, Pa., has proved very destructive to the tobacco and fruit crops in this section. The loss to farmers is quite severe.

John Vosburgh, aged eighty years, of Rochester, N. Y., an eminent mathematician and teacher, died in Washington, of heart failure.

The lumber sheds of Grand, Fuller & Sons on Fulton's wharf, Brighton, Mass., were burned, together with about 1,000,000 feet of lumber. Loss, $50,000; insurance unknown.

Thirty-eight thousand pounds of American pig tin were shipped to the American Tin Plate company, of St. Louis, by the Tennessee tin mines of South Riverside, Cal. The mines have only been in operation six months.

Pierre Barguet (colored), a custom house inspector at New York, was held in $2,000 bail at Jefferson Market court, charged with assaulting Gertie Robinson, aged fourteen.

James Piel, a German electrical engineer, who boarded at 328 Broome street, New York, jumped from the ferryboat Erastus Wiman near Liberty island. He was rescued and taken to Bellevue hospital a prisoner.

Thomas Lyde, 18, of 35 Roseville avenue, Newark, was instantly killed by the bursting of an old gun which he had loaded to the muzzle. A portion of the stock tore away one side of his head.

The monument to Adjutant Campbell, of the British army, who protected colonists from Tryon's cruelty and fell in the attack of New Haven, July 5, 1779, was unveiled over his grave in the woods at Allington.

While Patrick McCourt and Howard Wilson, of Plainfield, N. J., were engaged in loading a famous old one horned cannon which served in the revolution the gun prematurely discharged and both of McCourt's hands were blown off, while Wilson lost one hand. The ramrod was sent a distance of 250 feet, glancing against a telegraph pole and injuring Jennie, the twelve-year-old daughter of George Feller. All the injured were taken to the Mullenberg hospital.

George W. Bailey, an old time theatrical man and one of the pioneers in the burnt cork business, died at Milford, Mass., aged sixty-five.

A circular extending the 4½ per cent. bonds at 2 per cent. interest has been issued from the treasury department.

Colonel Joseph G. Tilford, of the Ninth cavalry, and Colonel Alexander Piper, of the Fifth artillery, having served for forty years as officers of the army, have been placed on the retired list.

The Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria has signed the triple alliance treaty. Dispatches declare that it is substantially the same old treaty.

The Vatican has requested the papal nuncios abroad to invite donations to compensate for speculative losses of Peter's pence.

The house of lords has passed the Irish land purchase bill through committee.

The first movement of the Boers of south Africa into Mashonaland has taken place and has been repulsed by the troops and police.

Ameer Ben Ali, murderer of Carrie Brown, or "Shakespeare," at New York, was convicted of murder in the second degree.

E. C. Rathbone, late chief postoffice inspector, has taken the oath of office and assumed his new duties as fourth assistant postmaster general.

William E. Simonds, of Connecticut, was appointed commissioner of patents, vice Charles E. Mitchell.

The western sales agents of the anthracite coal companies have decided that the the July output be limited to 3,000,000 tons.

William Cox, of Phelps, N. Y., was sentenced to nine years and nine months at Auburn prison for incest.

The secretary of war has appointed among others the following civilians for examination for appointment as officers in the army: Robert Sewell, of Camden, N. J., and John Howard, of Governor's island, N. Y., son of General Howard.

George W. Ritchie, who pleaded guilty to the larceny of over $8,000 from the Commonwealth National bank, of Philadelphia, was sentenced to three years' imprisonment.

Mr. Gladstone is almost restored to health.

It has been definitely decided that eight hours will make a full day's work on the World's fair buildings.

President Underhill, of the Flour City Life Insurance association of Rochester, has been indicted for forgery.

Mr. H. Charles Ulman, a lawyer of New York, charges the commissioners of taxes with illegal assessments to the extent of more than $1,000,000 annually.

HAMNIBAL HAMLIN DEAD.

Abraham Lincoln's Associate in Office Expires Suddenly.

BANGOR, Me., July 6.—Ex-Vice President Hannibal Hamlin died at 6:15 p. m. in the rooms of the Tarrantine club in this city. During the afternoon Mr. Hamlin visited the club rooms and engaged in a game of pedro with several other gentlemen. Suddenly his head fell forward on his chest. Those present immediately ran to his assistance and he was removed to a lounge and his family and physicians sent for. After an hour's work by the doctors he was somewhat revived and managed to articulate in a feeble manner. After this slight rally he relapsed into unconsciousness again, in which state he remained until his death occurred. Mrs. Hamlin, General Charles Hamlin, his son and wife, and other members of his family were at his side when he passed away. Mr. Hamlin has been perceptibly failing for a year past, but appeared about as usual in the afternoon when he walked down town to his club.

Hannibal Hamlin was born in Paris, Oxford county, Me., on Aug. 27, 1809. He was prepared for college, but owing to the death of his father was compelled to abandon his plans and take charge of the farm. At the age of twenty-one he commenced the study of law, and in 1833 was admitted to the bar. In 1836 and in 1840 he was a member of the legislature, and in 1840 was nominated by the Democrats for congress. Again, in 1842, he was placed in nomination. This time he was elected, and was re-elected two years later.

In 1848 he was chosen for a four year term in the senate, but resigned in 1857, having been elected by the Republicans as governor of Maine. Less than a month afterward he resigned this office, having again been elected to the senate, this time for six years. In 1861 he left the senate as a member, having been elected vice president on the ticket with Abraham Lincoln. From March 4, 1861, until March 3, 1865, he presided over the senate, and in the latter year was appointed collector of the port of Boston. For twelve years since 1861 he acted as a regent of the Smithsonian institution. He was again elected and re-elected to the United States senate, serving from March 4, 1869, till March 3, 1881. In June of that year he was appointed minister to Spain, but gave up the office the year following.

Hannibal Hamlin, though originally a Democrat, became a republican because of his anti-slavery ideas. Among the significant incidents of his long career may be mentioned the fact that in the temporary absence of David Wilmot from the house of representatives during the session of the Twenty-ninth congress, at the critical moment when the measure since known as "the Wilmot proviso" had to be presented or irrevocably lost, Mr. Hamlin, while his anti-slavery friends were in the greatest confusion, seeing that a second's delay would prove fatal, offered the bill and secured its passage by a vote of 115 to 106. In common with Abraham Lincoln, Hannibal Hamlin sought to prevent the extension of slavery, not to secure its abolition.

A BATCH OF APPOINTMENTS.

They Were Made by the Hon. Morgan G. Bulkeley.

HARTFORD, July 2.—Governor Bulkeley has made the following appointments:

Insurance Commissioner—O. R. Tyler, of Torrington.

School Commissioner—Jeremiah Olney, of Thompson.

Bank Commissioner—Charles Griswold, of Guilford.

Railroad Commissioner—William O. Seymour, of Ridgewood.

Shellfish Commissioners—Charles W. Beardsley, of Milford, and George C. Waldo, of Bridgeport.

Fish Commissioner—William Sidney Downs, of Derby.

State Prison Directors—Francis Wayland, of New Haven; R. T. Hewitt, of Wethersfield; Charles A. Elliott, of Clinton, and George Best, of Hartford.

State Board of Charities—Charles S. Canfield and John M. Douglass, of Bridgeport.

Auditors of Accounts—George F. Lincoln, of Hartford, and D. Ward Northrop, of Middletown.

GENERAL GRAHAM DISMISSED.

Governor Bulkeley Has Relieved Him "for the Benefit of the Service."

HARTFORD, July 3.—Something of a sensation has been created in military circles by an order issued by Governor Bulkeley directing the dismissal of Brigadier General Graham, of the militia, from the military service of the state for the benefit of the service. The words "for the benefit of the service" are seldom used, and only in cases where the person whose services are being dispensed with has been guilty of some grave offense, such as dishonesty or drunkenness, hence the sensation. General Graham was relieved from the command of the militia about a year ago by Governor Bulkeley, who at that time gave him an honorable discharge. The senate reinstated him and removed Colonel Thomas L. Watson, who was appointed his successor. The latter is again appointed to the position of brigadier general by Governor Bulkeley. This makes a direct issue between the governor and the senate as to their respective authorities.

Mr. Blaine's Condition.

BAR HARBOR, Me., July 7.—Secretary Blaine was out driving twice during the day. Emmons Blaine, who arrived Saturday, says his father has improved wonderfully since he saw him last, ten days ago. It may be stated upon the best authority that the secretary has not either Bright's disease, diabetis or any other kidney complaint.

Cape May Will Be the Capital.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—President Harrison left Washington Friday morning for Cape May and for the next five or six weeks will transact public business at that place. Private Secretary Halford will join him there next week and arrange for telegraphic connection with the executive departments at Washington.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	5	10:59 p.m.	Full Moon	21	9:54 a.m.
First Quarter	14	0:29 a.m.	Third Quarter	27	11:33 p.m.

MEXICANS ALL GAMBLE.

It Is the Ruling Craze, and Even Children Indulge in It.

"Gambling is the ruling passion in Mexico," said Charles F. Hughes, of the City of Mexico, who was a Palmer House guest, while on his way to New York.

"Every one, from children 10 and 12 years of age to old men and women, indulge in it. Every member of every class of society tries to win the favor of the fickle goddess Fortune, for gambling is not looked upon by Mexicans as a most glaring vice, as it is by Northerners. The former are more lenient in the matter of public morals. Each saloon has various games of chance, but the whir of the wheel and the click of the ball one notes after passing various zealous guards in the resorts of your city are seldom heard there. Monte is the national Mexican game, as faro and poker are the American, and rouge et noir and baccarat the French. Monte tables are run within sight of the passers by; of course these of which I now speak are the public games wherein all who wish may participate. Private games of monte are quite common in some of the homes of the wealthiest citizens of the balmy country. Poker is also a very popular game, and the stakes are frequently very high.

"At one home to which I am often invited there are four admirers of the game, and each one is a shrewd and calculating player. This quartet is composed of father, mother, son, and, daughter. Of course the stakes for which they play are only enough 'to make it interesting,' but the fact remains that the parents encourage more or less the youthful members of the family in the fascinating pastime. But instead of looking at the matter in the light of a more rigid disciplinarian, the father, a well to do merchant, often speaks of the clever way in which his daughter—or son, as the case may be—'called his bluff,' and his wife proudly exhibits a dazzling pair of diamond earrings she won from him with a ten high flush.

"In alleys, upon street corners, in old buildings, and in every accessible place, street boys and girls can be found playing with some device for gambling. To take gambling from Mexicans would mean to deprive them of their most fascinating pastime.—[Chicago News.

The Dark Days Before France.

Senator Barthelmyst Hilare, minister of French foreign affairs, in a recent speech said that France was spending 1,500,000 francs for every 1,000,000 francs of income, and this process, he said, has been going on for years. "The upshot of the whole matter," he said, "must be that we shall have to repudiate our debt as we did in the first revolution and start afresh." Referring to the American republic, he said: "I greatly admire the magnificent manner in which the United States has gone on paying off its tremendous debt contracted during the gigantic civil war. We ought to imitate in a modest way the American example. But several circumstances oppose this. In the first place, the wastefulness of our great departments of government is something frightful. While it can not be said that there is any outright stealing of the public funds, the extravagance is tremendous and no government dares incur the danger of the politicians in cleaning out this augean stable." Referring to the expenses of the vast military system, he said: "We try to stop this suicidal financial policy. We can not reduce our army, for there stands that Alsace-Lorraine difficulty still undecided. What an unpardonable sin it was for Germany to take those provinces. We would have willingly paid many more millions of francs could we have preserved our territory intact. But France will never abandon Alsace-Lorraine without a struggle, which, when it comes, will be a deadly one. France must win or be effaced from the map of Europe, like Poland. She will fight to the last man, for she will see that her very existence as a nation depends on victory, and if she comes off a victor in what an exhausted state she will probably be left. Then the ordinary financial situation, rendered still more oppressive by the increased expenditures of the supreme struggle, will weigh down upon the bleeding nation and bankruptcy will then be inevitable."

Test This, Everybody.

The Listener observed a very curious and interesting thing the other night. He had occasion to wait for an evening train in the Columbus avenue station. As he entered and sat down there were already eight men and two women sitting on the benches, and, having nothing better to do, the Listener noticed that every one of the men had his leg crossed over his right knee, while it was sufficiently apparent that in the case of the two ladies this state of things was exactly reversed. As the Listener was meditating upon the reason for this curious circumstance, a lady and gentleman entered and sat down; and immediately the gentleman put his left leg over his right knee, while the lady joined her sisters in the room in exactly the same attitude. By and by more men came, and more; and every one of them put his left leg over his right knee, until there were actually 17 men sitting in that position in the little waiting room. Only one more lady came, but she, too, followed exactly the example of the other women. Seventeen men and four women in one room, all with one knee over the other, but the women's and men's crossed in reversed directions. Is there any physiologist who can explain why this should be so?—[Boston Transcript.

Secretary Rusk is fond of horseback riding, and frequently rides between the department offices and his home. He is a hard worker, but keeps in the pink of good health. His hair and beard are white, but his face has the florid tint of health and strength.

The czar of Russia is said to have a fondness for rising early in the morning and going about the market places of St. Petersburg. Not infrequently on these trips he makes purchases for the royal larder.

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We have a muss on our hands. The entire front of our double store is to be torn out and rebuilt. Partitions and part of side walls will be removed and the whole interior rearranged and beautified from basement to top. Several floors will be to go up. The building will be filled with dust and rubbish and our mammoth stock absolutely must be removed. Think what that means. **We are going to sell** all we can of it. Time is short—two Weeks—and we'll have to **slash prices.** All goods are now marked in figures. These tags will remain and reduced prices will be marked in red.

Here is a golden harvest. It will pay you to buy goods you are likely to want within a year or two, even if you have to store them.

The inspiration of these changes came lately, in connection with Mr. Hollenback's new building next door, in which we will have three extra rooms and elevator service. Our stock was never better.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of A. G. Yohe late of Mifflin township deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of A. G. Yohe, late of Mifflin township, Col. Co. Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

C. P. KLINGAMAN,
June-5 6t Administrator

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Hoats, deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphan's Court of Columbia County to make distribution of the funds in the hand of the executor, will sit in the office of Wintersteen, Beckley & McKillip, Tuesday, July 21, 1891, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

H. A. MCKILLIP, Auditor.

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AUGUST 16 TO 22
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The Encampment will open Sunday, August 16th, with Religious Services and sermon by one of the most distinguished divines in the country in the immense Auditorium seating 3500 people.

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FOR THE PUBLIC.

An instructive and entertaining program, musical and literary, with addresses by eminent Agriculturists and Political Economists will be provided each day of Encampment.

A large number of wall tents will be erected *in the park* for the accommodation of those desiring to remain the entire week; and meals can be procured on the grounds at reasonable rates.

CHEAP EXCURSIONS

will be run by the Philadelphia & Reading and the Pennsylvania Railroads. And railroads generally will make excursion rates for parties. Application for same should be made in good time.

AN ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT WILL ILLUMINATE THE PARK AT NIGHT.

No intoxicating liquors allowed on the grounds.

For space, tents and information regarding Exhibition apply to T. A. CORRELL, General Manager, Harrisburg, Pa.

For rates and general information apply to

NED IRISH, Genl. Supt. R. B. GORDON, Genl. Pass. Agent.

CORNWALL & LEBANON R. R. Co., LEBANON, PA.

June 26 3-m.

TOWN TAXES.

Notice is hereby given to the tax-payers of the Town of Bloomsburg by the undersigned, that he is prepared to receive Town Taxes for the year 1891, at his office on the second floor of the Post Office Building in said Town of Bloomsburg Any tax unpaid at the expiration of thirty days from this notice shall be paid with five per centum penalty on the amount added thereto.

July 1st. 1891. ROBT. BUCKINGHAM.
tf. Town Treasurer.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Col. Co., Pa., and to me directed, there will be sold in the Sheriff's office, in the Court House, Bloomsburg, Pa., on

SATURDAY, JULY 18, 1891,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the town of Bloomsburg, Pa., bounded on the north by Fifth street, on the east by East St., on the south by Henry Kesty and on the west by an alley, being twenty-two and a half feet on East St., and one hundred and ninety-eight feet deep and sixty feet on an alley, whereon are erected a two story frame store building, Dwelling House and outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Wm. Krickbaum and Sarah A. Decker's use versus John Stickle, and to be sold as the property of John Stickle.

VANDERSLICE, Atty. JOHN B. CASEY, Sheriff.

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Main Street.—Desirable building lot 50x214, price $1200.

First Street—Frame house, 6 rooms, lot 50x214, price $1050.

Fourth Street—Large frame house, 8 rooms, lot 100 feet front on street, price $2250.

Fifth Street—Large frame dwelling house, rooms, out-kitchen, barn, fine fruit, &c., lot 79x200, price $4500.

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Third Street.—Large 8 room house, lot 64x218 Price $2700.

Second Street, East of Penn.—Corner lot, 50 ft front. Price $800.

Second Street.—Fine large residence, 11 rooms

Perry Road.—Two story house, lot 400 feet deep, price $600.

exclusive of bath room. Steam, gas, sewer, water and all modern improvements.

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Iron Street, near Fifth—Two story frame house, 10 rooms, bath-room, water-closet, hot and cold water up-stairs and down, sewer, steam heat, electric light, and stationary range, all in splendid condition. Large new stable on lot, room for three horses. Terms easy and price low.

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